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THE CAPITAL.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, August 11, 1869.

NAVAL NOMENCLATURE.

The following changes were made to-day in naval nomenclature by the Secretary of the Navy: Centaur to Sangus, Charybdis to Cahoes, Circe to Marietta, Cyclops to Kewaydin, Eolus to Shawnee, Erebus to Algoma, Fury to Catskill, Gordon to Minnetonka, Harpy to Klamath, Hecate to Ellah, Hydra to Otsego, Medusa to Nantucket, Minerva to Sandusky, Nemesis to Nafa, Neptune to Manhattan, Orion to Pictauqua, Samson to Chickasaw, Sculla to Canonicus, Stromeli to Wassauc, Tartar to Yazoo, Tempest to Yuma, Vesuvius to Wyandotte, Vixen to Osceola, Tornado to Winnebago.

THE MISSISSIPPI CANVASS.

General Grant has not, either in conversation or by letter, requested Judge Dent to withdraw from the Mississippi canvass, and in view of the complications it is reiterated Judge Dent will canvass Mississippi in the interest of the Conservative Republican candidates, whether himself or another leads the ticket. Meantime the Judge continues a candidate before the Convention.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President to-day appointed Joseph W. Patton, Collector of Internal Revenue for the 15th district of Pennsylvania, vice Wm. R. Floyd, resigned; Wm. B. White, Collector of Internal Revenue, sixth district of New York, vice M. B. Field, suspended.

THE MEXICAN MINISTER.

Mr. Ignacie Mariscal, new Mexican Minister, was to-day introduced to the President by the Secretary of State, and delivered his credentials. An appropriate exchange of sentiments took place on the occasion.

GENERAL CANBY.

General Canby arrived here this morning from Richmond, and had an interview with the President.

CIGARS SEIZED.

The Revenue officers made a seizure to-day of forty-three thousand cigars for non-payment of tax.

NEW YORK CITY.

$140,000 the Amount Stolen from the American Express—Receivers of Stolen Goods Caught—Fish, Jr., Reported Killed—Custody of Spanish Gunboats—Pratt, the Texas Rioter and Murderer.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, August 11, 1869.

It is understood that the American Express Company robbers obtained $140,000.

Adolph Steinberger, Jacob Steinberger, Meyer Steinberger, and a pawnbroker named Julius Metzler, were arrested to-day and held in $10,000 bail each, on a charge of receiving a large quantity of silks burglarized from the store of Mettinger, Broadway, on the 20th of June last. The first named person sold Mr. Mettinger a portion of the stolen goods, he being unacquainted with him, which led to the discovery.

A report was current here this afternoon that James Fisk, Jr., had been killed in a fracas connected with the Susquehanna Railroad. The report, however, lacks confirmation and was generally discredited.

Marshal Barlow has received an order from the Secretary of State to transfer the custody of the Spanish gun boats to the commander of the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

It is understood this afternoon that the two Wall street usurers, yesterday sentenced by Judge Cardoza to imprisonment in the city prison, have not yet been delivered into the custody of the warden of the prison.

Judge McCunn has decided to discharge Pratt, the alleged Texas rioter and murderer, from custody. Though as Pratt is in military custody at Fort Lafayette, it does not appear how he is to do it. The points of the decision are, first, that murder is not a United States offense, except when committed in a place over which the government have exclusive jurisdiction; and, second, that the prisoner had not been committed by a United States court.

NEVADA.

Reception of Vice President Colfax.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CARSON, NEVADA, August 11,—His Excellency, Gov. Blaisdell, Mayor Adams, Judges Baldwin and Whitman and a a large number of the leading citizens of Virginia City, Nevada, met Vice President Colfax yesterday morning and escorted him and his party to this city, where the Vice President was greeted with a most cordial welcome. He and his friends were made the guests of Hon. Wm. Sharon. In the evening the whole city seemed to have come together in front of the splendidly illuminated residence of Mr. Sharon, and after a short address from Judge Whitman, he introduced Vice President Colfax, who made one of his most able and eloquent speeches. He referred to his former visit four years ago and contrasted the weary week it took to make it then with the speed and comfort with which he now had made the trip over the Pacific Railroad in one of Pullman's splendid palace cars, and spoke with great effect af the vast resources and the progress, the power and the future glory of the Republic. He was frequently interrupted with round after round of applause.

Governor Bross, Senator Nye, Senator Frost, of Nebraska, and Judge Baldwin also addressed the assembly. At a late hour they adjourned with rousing cheers for the Vice President, for the Union and other sentiments offered in the procession. This afternoon the Vice President and his party were entertained by his Excellency Governor Blaisdell, at the Warm Springs, near this city. To-morrow they visit Lake Tapoe, one of the most delightful spots on the Continent. All are in the best of health and spirits.

CHICAGO.

Six Ice Houses Burned—Two Women Fatally Poisoned Through a Druggist's Blunder—Suicide—The Great Turn-Fest—North American Turnerbund—Disappearance Under Distressing Circumstances.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CHICAGO, August 11.—Early this morning the six mammoth ice houses belonging to the Chicago Ice Company, and located at Crystal Lake, on the Northwestern Railroad, some forty miles north of this city, were entirely destroyed by fire. A large quantity of ice was stored in the buildings. The loss is heavy. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Mrs. Dr. Schrader and her mother, of Red Rock, Marion county, Iowa, were both poisoned yesterday by taking a dose of belladonna, given to them by a blundering druggist. Both died in a few hours.

Col. Henry M'Kenley, formerly a very wealthy land owner in Minnesota, committed suicide in St. Paul, last evening, by shooting himself through the head with a pistol. He had been for some time laboring under a depression of spirits, caused by financial reverses in California and elsewhere.

The great Turn-fest closed last night, so far as the regular programme is concerned. This afternoon all joined in an excursion on the lake. The crowd was a jolly one. The closing ball at Turner Hall is now in full blaze. The total receipts during the festival were about $20,000, the expenses $24,800, leaving a balance of about $5,000 on the wrong side.

At nine o'clock this morning the seventeeth annual Congress of Turn-Teachers and Turn-Warts of the North American Turnerbund met at Gymnastic Hall, The main business of the Convention was to decide upon some uniform method for the teachers in the manner of giving orders. Gentlemen were each allowed fifteen minutes in which to illustrate their several methods. The Convention finally decided that all the teachers connected with the North American Turnerbund be requested to send a full description of their several methods of instruction to a committee appointed for the purpose, and after a careful comparison and study the committee shall make a report at the national meeting of turn-teachers and turn-warts, which shall be called within a year, for the purpose of fixing upon a uniform method of instruction for classes.

About ten days since a young lad, son of Wm. P. Van Duzen, a broker of this city, fell through a skylight at the Sherman House and was instantly killed. Mr. Van Duzen was supposed to be in New York at the time. A dispatch was sent to him there, but no reply has been received. It now turns out that Mr. Van Duzen, when he left for New York, took ten thousand dollars in United States bonds belonging to the firm. He was seen at the St. Nicholas on the night of his arrival in New York and at Jersey City the next day, since which time nothing has been heard from him. The house of Van Duzen here is a branch of the house of Swan & Payson, Wall street, New York. It is now supposed that Van Duzen has gone to Europe. He left a wife in this city in feeble health, greatly intensified by the sad loss of her boy, and entirely destitute of means.

GETTYSBURG.

The Coming Reunion of Officers on the Battle Field.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

GETTYSBURG, PA., August 11.—The reunion at Gettysburg of officers of both armies, on the week commencing with the 23d of August, bids fair to be a complete success. Telegrams from all parts of the country indicate that officers of every grade are arranging to be present. In some cases those of entire brigades are coming in a body.

Col. John B. Bachelder, who is writing a history of this battle, and having it fully illustrated with oil paintings, and Messrs Walker and Rothemel, each of whom have executed historical paintings of it, have accepted invitations from the Battle Field Memorial Association to be present. Col. Bachelder will spend the entire week on the field receiving and imparting information to all who are desirous of establishing a correct account of the battle. In every case the positions indicated in his published isoperimetrical drawing of the field were found to perfectly coincide with those established by the officers who met on the 4th ult.

To secure the fullest advantage from this meeting, and avoid confusion, Col. Bachelder proposes the following programme, thus allowing those who can spare a few days certainly an opportunity of being present when their portions of the field are visited: On the 24th the positions of the first day's battle will be completed; on the 25th Culp's Hill, Cemetery Hill and vicinity; on the 26th positions on the left, including the apple orchard, peach orchard, wheat field, Round Tops and intermediate points; on the 27th the general lines of the third day's battle; on the 28th the cavalry operations.

CINCINNATI.

Death of a Saloon Keeper From Violence—Weather—Excursion to San Francisco.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CINCINNATI, August 11.—Frank Hartling, saloon keeper, died last night from the effects of blows received in a fight with Andrew Witzenbacher at noon yesterday. At the Coroner's inquest to-day the testimony of the doctor who made the *post mortem* was that the temporal muscle was bruised and a portion of brain near that point was covered with extravasated blood. Only one witness saw the beating and testified that Witzenbacher jammed Hartling's head half a dozen times on the floor so that the noise of it could be heard in all parts of the building. The jury gave a verdict that Hartling came to his death by compression of the brain from excitement brought on by an altercation with Andrew Wetzenbacher. Wetzenbacher was before the Police Court for murder and was committed in default of $5,000 bail.

Weather cloudy and growing warmer; thermometer 84.

This evening Chamber of Commerce held a meeting and appointed a Committee to arrange for an excursion to San Francisco *via* St. Louis, starting about September 1st.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

NEWS BY CABLE.

English Parliament Prorogued—Message from the Queen—The Harvard and Oxford Boat Clubs Practicing—The Turkish Difficulty Settled—Prussia and Austria—Carlist Trouble in Spain.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Parliament was prorogued to-day by royal commission. The following message from the Queen was read by the commission:

We are commanded by the Queen to dispense with your further attendance in Parliament. Her Majesty announces to you with pleasure that she continues to receive from foreign powers the strongest assurances of friendly disposition; that her confidence in the preservation of peace has been continued and confirmed during the present year.

The negotiations in which Her Majesty was engaged with the United States have, by mutual consent, been suspended. Her Majesty earnestly hopes this delay may tend to maintain the relations between the two countries on a durable basis of friendship.

The Queen has a lively satisfaction in in acknowledging the unerring assiduity and zeal with which you have prosecuted the arduous labors of the year. In the act for putting an end to the establishment of the Irish church, you have carefully kept in view several considerations which, at the opening of the session, were commended to your notice. It is the hope of the Queen that this measure may hereafter be remembered as conclusive proof of the paramount anxiety of Parliament to pay reasonable regard in legislating for each of the three kingdoms. Of the special circumstances by which it may be distinguished, and to deal on principles of impartial justice with all interests and all portions of the nation, the Queen firmly trusts that the act may promote the work of peace in Ireland and help to unite all classes of its people in that fraternal concord with their English and Scoech fellow-subjects which must ever form the chief source of strength in the extended empire.

The Queen congratulates you on having brought your protracted labors on the subject of bankruptcy and imprisonment for debt to a legislative conclusion, which is regarded with just satisfaction by the trading classes and the general public.

The law framed for the better government of the endowed schools of England will render the resources of these establishments more accessible to the community and more efficient in their important purpose.

In the removal of the duties on corn, the Queen sees new evidence of your desire to extend industry and commerce and enlarge those supplies of food which our insular position encourages and requires.

The Queen trusts the measures for the purchase and management of the telegraphs by the State may be found to facilitate the great commercial and social objects of rapid, easy and certain communication, and prove no unworthy sequel to the system of cheap postage, which has passed with such advantage into so many countries of the world.

We are commanded to state that the Queen thanks you for the liberal supplies which you have granted for the service of the year and for the measure by which you have enabled Her Majesty to liquidate the charge of the Abysinian expedition.

The *Times*, in an article on Irish Church disestablishment, says: "Whatever its practicability may be, the measure is the boldest and greatest act of modern legislation. In consequence of the measure the authorities of Trinity College have withdrawn their opposition to the proposal for admitting Catholics and Non-Conformists to fellowship. The Irish Bishops have shown good sense in agreeing that the laity as well as clergy shall concur in the election of priests in the new church. The extreme Protestants have subsided, and the Catholics accept their triumph with gratitude."

The Oxford crew are at Putney, on a visit to the Harvards. The latter this morning, on their trip down the river, made forty-two strokes and on their return forty to forty one strokes per minute. Their pace was good. They covered blades well and were all well together. The Oxford crew went over the same course in their boat this afternoon.

LONDON, August 11.—Justice Sir Chas. Selwin died to-day, aged 56 years.

LIVERPOOL, August 11.—Mr. Moorehead attended the Council of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday and gave information in regard to the resources of Southern States, with a view to their further developement, in connection with trade between England and the United States.

DUBLIN, Aug. 11.—At Tubbernath, in county Sligo, a party of twenty-five men attacked a dwelling and carried off some fire arms. Six of the marauders have been arrested and two or three have been identified as persons who were formerly imprisoned for Fenianism.

FRANCE.

PARIS, August 11.—General Prim has arrived here. He will not proceed to Vichy, but will remain here until the festivities of the 15th of August are over, when he will return to Madrid.

PARIS, August 11, *via* English Cable.—The *Patrie* announces that through the good offices of France and England, Ismail Pasha has decided to concede to the demands of the Sultan.

PARIS, August 11—*via.* French Cable.—The health of Marshal Niel is slightly improved.

The Committee of the Senate continue their examination of the *Sanatus Consultum.* M. Delanje, who was to draw the report of the Committee, is sick and his duties will probably devolve upon M. Behr or M. Devinne.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, August 11, *via* French Cable.—Baron Von Beust, in a speech opposing the demand of the Hungarian delegation for a reduction in the Embassy at Rome, declared the Protestant States were taking up the same attitude which the Catholic States had with regard to the Papal Government. The Austrian Government has resolved to allow nothing derogatory to its dignity. Its reply to the last Papal allocution was decided in tone, though in diplomatic terms, and a better understanding begins to prevail at Rome.

The *Presse* says a commission has been appointed by the Government to draw up a bill providing that surveillance be instituted over convents, and that they be brought under the action of the law concerning associations, the provisions of which are to be so amended as to embrace monastic institutions in their operation,

PRUSSIA.

BERLIN, August 11.—The *Provincial Correspondence* says the Prussian Government has requested the Austrian Government to publish all those communications by which Baron Von Buest asserts he has endeavored, without success, to bring about improvement in the relations of the two Governments.

SPAIN.

MADRID, August 11.—A party of five hundred Carlists had appeared on the frontier of Catalonia. Gen. Prim has gone to Paris. Before his departure he left orders, which have just been promulgated, that all rebels captured with arms in their hands be shot on the spot.

TURKEY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, August 11.—The Porte prohibits the execution of orders for armament given by the Viceroy of Egypt while in Europe, including one for sixteen thousand breach loaders in Berlin, and another for a ship of war at Trieste.

MARINE NEWS.

GLASGOW, Aug. 11.—The new Inman steamship City of Brussels was launched to-day.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, August 11.—*Evening.*—Consols for money, 92⅞; on account, 93. Five-Twenties at 83¾; quiet and steady, at Frankfort at 88⅝. Erie, 19½. Illinois, 94½.

LIVERPOOL, August 11.—Cotton market firm, with sales middling uplands at 12d, and Orleans at 13¼@13½d; sales 12,000 bales. California white wheat at 11s 3d, and red western at 10s 2d. Flour 25s. Corn 30s. Oats 3s 6d. Peas 42s. Pork 102s. Beef 30s. Lard 72s. Cheese 62s. Bacon 63s. Spirits Petroleum 7½d, and refined 1s 8d. Tallow 47s. Turpentine 27s 6d. Linseed Oil £33.

LONDON, August 11.—Tallow 45s 9d. Sugar easier, with sales on spot at 29s 6d. Linseed Oil 31s 10d, sterling. Fine Rosin 10s. Petroleum at Antwerp, 53f bid, and holders ask ½f more.

PARIS, August 10.—*Noon, via French Cable.*—Bourse buoyant; rentes 73f. 43c.

ST. LOUIS.

The National Irish Immigration Convention—Circular of the Executive Committee.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

ST. LOUIS, August 11.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Immigration Convention met to-day, and after a free consultation issued the following circular:

To the Irishmen of the United States: The Executive Committee having in charge the preparations for holding the National Irish Immigration Convention, which is called to meet in this city, after due consideration, have determined to postpone the assembling of the Convention until the 6th day of October next. Notice of the postponement is hereby given, and all delegates from the several States are hereby notified that the time for holding the Convention is changed from September 1st to October 6th. The good results which may follow the successful inauguration of this important movement it is hoped will induce the attendance of the ablest and most influential men everywhere in sympathy with the well being of the Irish people in the United States. It is believed that the main measures which have resulted so advantageously to other races, the German and the Scandinavian, will be applied to the Irish, produce equally good fruit and tend more to the elevation of the Irish in the United States than anything heretofore attempted. The emancipation of the Irish from the vices of the great cities and the certain demoralization which results from their concentration in the large centres of trade, is a work of justice, which calls loudly for instant action. It is not proposed to encourage immigration, but to such as choose to seek a home in the United States it is the object of this movement to secure in the fertile growing west permanent places of abode for themselves and their children.

KANSAS.

Alleged Forged Speech—Question of Veracity—Railroad Progress.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

LAWRENCE, August 11.—In reply to the statement telegraphed from Washington to the effect that Hon. Sidney Clark, of Kansas, announced the report of his speech to neutral land leaguers as a forgery, the Lawrence *Journal* says: "If Clark made such statement relative to report of the speech published here, he utters an unqualified falsehood. The report was written by one of the first settlers of the State, now a resident on the neutral lands, and a man whose word is unimpeachable. As to his forming a new party to cut loose from the Republican, the resolutions adopted by the meeting speak for themselves."

Track laying on the Leavenworth, Atchison and Northwestern Railroad commenced this morning. In twenty days there will be all rail from Atchson to St. Louis without crossing the river or changing cars.

MEMPHIS.

Suicide of a Steamboat Passenger.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

MEMPHIS, August 11.—Alonzo Gaines, of the firm of Gaines & Blanton, New Orleans, committed suicide this morning about fifty miles below here by jumping from the steamer Indiana. Capt. Neal made every effort to save him, but when the yawl reached him life was extinct. His body was brought here and left with Capt. Dick Lightburn, to await the action of his friends. The deceased was a native of Frankfort, Kentucky, and en *route* to that place.

POLITICAL.

Geo. H. Pendleton the Democratic Candidate for Governor of Ohio.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

COLUMBUS, O., August 11.—The members of the State Central Committee met here to-day to devise means to fill the vacancy caused by the declination of Gen. Rosecrans as candidate for Governor of Ohio, and have unanimously nominated Geo. H. Pendleton, who has accepted.

President Grant and the National Republicans of Mississippi.

WASHINGTON, August 11.—General Torbell, Secretary of the Republican Executive Committee of Mississippi, had a lengthy interview with President Grant at the residence of Secretary Fish, in New York, on the 6th instant, relative to the President's views in reference to affairs in the Southern States, especially Mississippi. In reply to General Torbell's explanations in regard to affairs there and the attempt to divide the Republican party, the President remarked at the beginning on the very small number of Republicans who were engaged in what is termed the "National Republican Party." With regard to the special business presented to him by General Torbell, his assurances were explicit and direct. The President said in his judgment the small number of those who had hitherto acted with the Republican party who now constituted the so-called National Republican party was in itself evidence that they could be not otherwise than used by the opposition. With regard to the recent profession made by those who were lately rebels. The President was frank. His only desire was peace and amity, and he would do anything right to bring that about. But these people cast suspicions upon their own motives, by the fact that all their efforts seemed to be aimed at dividing, not aiding, the Republican party in their midst. If they were really in earnest they would not be anxious about those with whom they acted. To sincere men it could not be difficult who in the south were and had been administration friends. He talked at some length on the contest in Virginia. He thought from Gov. Walker's speeches since the election that he was fully committed to the administration and was honestly intending to act up to them. Referring to the proposal by Col. Jenkins to unite the two wings of the Republican party there, the President expressed a regret at the apparent failure to accomplish so desirable an object, remarking that the letter of Dr. Gilmore in reply showed that the followers of Walker were not all in good faith. He still hoped, however, good would come out of Virginia, but did not at present exactly see how.

The conversation lasted about an hour and a half, and during the whole time most of it was carried on by the President himself. The utmost frankness was displayed by him, and on General Torbell's explaining his graditude for and gratification at the assurances given by the President, he replied that in his conversation with the gentlemen representing the new Republican party in Mississippi, he had expressed himself much more emphatically against their course and policy than he was now doing. He declared positively his sympathies were altogether with the Republicans of Mississippi and against all efforts to divide them, coming from whatever source they might. When it was suggested great good might be accomplished and much wild speculation set at rest if he would take occasion to put the views he had expressed into some form and give them to the public, the President replied that he much preferred that acts and results should speak for his administration rather than words. To a question whether his attention had been called to the dispatches pretending to give his views on Mississippi affairs, he replied that it had, but that if he should correct one, others not denied would be claimed as admitted, and to correct all would consume his whole time.

The President expressed thorough endorsement of General Ames' administration in Mississippi, and in reply to a remark made by Torbell, said General Ames would have to do much more serious things than he had heard charged before he would subject himself to removal. He endorsed his administration fully.

The above report of the conversation with the President has been carefully read to the President, and it is published by his express authority and at his wish furnished to the Associated Press.

Result of the Tennessee Election.

NASHVILLE, August 11.—Senter's majority is 62,000, with nineteen counties to hear from. The State Senate, composed of twenty-five members, stands twenty-one Conservatives, four Conservative Republicans. The House of Representatives, composed of eighty-four members, stands sixty-seven Conservatives, nine Radicals, six Conservative Republicans, with two districts to hear from.

In a speech at Milan, Tennessee, on Saturday, on State affairs, Mr. Etheridge announced his opposition to paying any portion of the twenty million debt contracted under the Brownlow administration. A party entertaining these views has been gradually forming for some months past.

The Nashville municipal election takes place next month. Five Conservative candidates for Mayor are announced.

Political Disturbance at Mobile.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 11.—A petition from some of the Republicans of Mobile was sent yesterday to Governor Smith, asking him to place that city under martial law. Delegations of citizens of Mobile arrived to-day and had an interview with the Governor, which was satisfactory and resulted in his declining to put the city under martial law.

CUBAN REVOLUTION.

Bad Weather and Irregular Commissariat Holding Back Both Parties.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

HAVANA, August 11.—Bad weather and an unsystematized Commissariat prevent the Spanish from making any move. The Insurgent forces are held by the same causes and suffer much more from sickness than the Spanish, on account of the want of medicine and medical attendance.

Sugar advancing: Nos. 10 to 13 quoted at 8½@9 reals, and Nos. 15 and 20 at 11 reals per arrobe.

THE RAILROAD WAR.

The Contending Parties Fail to Agree Upon Terms—Governor Hoffman Takes Charge of Affairs and Will Operate the Road—Arrests for Contempt—Mr. Fiske Dodges a Warrant.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

ALBANY, August 11.—Governor Hoffman to-day gave the contending parties in the Susquehanna Railroad war to understand that riotous demonstrations on either end of the route must cease, and the question of control be decided by the courts. The parties undertook to agree upon some method of adjustment, but failed. His Excellency thereupon said he would be compelled to declare the district in a state of insurrection, take possession of the road as a military necessity and run it as a military road. If they thought such a course advisable for the stockholders, and that the State should be put to the expense of a quarter of a million dollars to enforce his proclamation, they might take the responsibility. His course, however, was clear to him and he should pursue it. Thereupon the counsel of the respective parties, consisting of David Dudley Field, John Ganson and Amos Parker, representing the Erie interest, and Wm. F. Allen and Rufus W. Peckham, Jr., held a consultation in the Executive Chamber, the result of which was the signing of the following communication to the Governor:

To the Governor of the State of New York: By virtue of certain judicial proceedings and conflict of jurisdiction and collisions, it has become and is impracticable to run the Albany & Susquehanna Railroad, either under the management of the directors or the control of the persons claiming to be the receivers. The public interest and the obligations of the company demand that the road should be run and operated, and the undersigned, as contesting claimants to the possession of the road, hereby request you to appoint some suitable person or persons to act as superintendent or superintendents, and to run and operate the road under your directions, and during your pleasure, or till the necessity of such superintendence shall cease, said appointments and the possession by yourself, and the person or persons to be appointed, not to affect the legal rights or the present actual possession of the parties respectively to any part of said road, or the officers or property thereof. It is understood that you are to employ such agencies, financial or otherwise, as you may require, and to fix the compensation of all persons employed by you.

[Signed,] ROBERT H. PRUYN,
CHAS. COUSLER,
JAS. FISK, JR.

Gov. Hoffman has telegraphed to Col. Robert Leno Rank, tendering him the position of executive agent for the management of the road.

While Messrs. Pruyn and Ramsey were in the Executive Chamber, this forenoon, they were arrested on a warrant served by the Sheriff, for contempt of Court. The warrant was issued by Judge Barnard, of New York. Judge Clute at once issued a writ of *habeas corpus*, and Messrs. Pruyn and Ramsey were brought before him.

Superintendent Van Valkenburg was also arrested for contempt. It is said that Fisk, understanding that a warrant would be issued for his arrest for contempt, chartered a steamboat this afternoon and started for New York.

The balcony in front of the Railroad offices gave way this evening while several persons were on it, some of whom were injured, but not seriously.

In the case of contempt on the part of Pruyn, Ramsey and Van Valkenburg, Judge Clute has decided to hold the matter open till ten o'clock to-morrow morning, and put the prisoners in charge of city officers until that time, taking them out of the custody of the sheriff, who was expected to appear with them before Judge Barnard, in New York, to-morrow morning.

ALBANY, August 11.—This afternoon Gov. Hoffman issued an order, in pursuance of the agreement of the parties contending for the control of the Albany & Susquehanna Railroad, appointing Gen. James McQuade superintendent of the road until further orders, and directing him to arrange at once for running regular trains for public accommodation.

NEW YORK, August 11.—A long dispatch from Binghamton gives details of the collision between Ramsey and Fisk on the Albany & Susquehanna Railroad last evening, which has been already reported. It is stated the Erie men filled a train and ran through the tunnel about five o'clock, meeting with no resistance until the tunnel was passed, when a similar train was run from the other side and the locomotives collided, injuring but not disabling them. The Erie men were driven through the tunnel. Subsequently the Ramsey force advanced and a fierce fight with pistols, clubs and stones took place and continued until about 8 P. M., when the arrival of the 44th regiment put an end to it and the attacking party retreated. During this fight a number of men on both sides were wounded, some quite seriously, but nobody killed. There has been no further disturbance since. Everything is now quiet. The trestle bridge at Point Dickinson was fired to-day, but the flames were extinguished and the bridge saved.

BOSTON.

Meeting of Railroad Men—Freight Question—Earnings of Union Pacific Railroad Since Completion.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BOSTON, Aug. 11.—A meeting of railroad men, including agents, representing various lines, was held to-day to consult chiefly upon the subject of transportation westward. The meeting was private, but it is understood the question of rates of freight was discussed in detail, though no definite plans were reached.

BOSTON, August 11.—The earnings of the Union Pacific Railroad from May 10th, the time of its completion, to June 1st, foot up $442,475,67; during the month of June, $676,949,11; during July, $653,729,19; total $1,773,153.97. The above statement is derived from the books of the company. A large amount of freight, which is induced by the lower rates just offered, is now starting over the road and will largely increase for the coming month.

—It is understood the Government will take no action in the case of Haggerty, as Consul to Glasgow, the Fenian question having assumed such a complexion that the Administration has no desire to further complicate the subject.

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CHARITY.

When you meet with one suspected
Of some secret deed of shame,
And for this by all rejected
As a thing of evil fame,
Guard thine every look and action;
Speak no word of heartless blame;
For the slanderer's vile detraction
Yet may soil thy goodly name.

When you meet with one pursuing
Ways the lost have wandered in,
Working out his own undoing
With his recklessness and sin,
Think, if placed in his condition,
Would a kind word be in vain?
Or a look of cold suspicion
Win thee back to truth again?

There are spots that bear no flowers—
Not because the soil is bad,
But the summer's genial showers
Never make their bosom glad;
Better have an act that's kindly,
Treated sometimes with disdain,
Than, by judging others blindly,
Doom the innocent to pain.

EPHEMERIS.

—The wax works show is out in Colorado.

—San Franciscans are eating Chicago butter.

—Hotels at Niagara have let down the prices.

—Buff suits are not fashionable at the sea shore.

—Frederick Douglas, Jr., married, the other day.

—Salmon are unusually plenty this year in Canada.

—Chicago is going to suppress her gambling houses.

—Henry Vincent will lecture some more next winter.

—Parepa's English opera troupe is to be in Chicago in October.

—The Peruvian Minister has a $300,000 cottage at Newport.

—A farmer out in Illinois has died and left $40,000 to the Pope.

—Two cents a piece is the price of watermellons in Charleston.

—Which is the worst, to execute a man's portrait or to burn his effigy.

—Cincinnati papers, by way of being original, are denouncing the can-can.

—Southern Soroses dip snuff in private, although they do have a public brush.

—One of Garibaldi's sons sailed for Europe from New York last Saturday.

—Strackosch is going to bring Patti to repair her waning fortunes in America.

—The best portion of the New York *Times*, the "Minor Topics," has dropped out.

—Mazzini is going to live in England. He is likely to die, violently, any place else.

—Charlotte Thompson is married, but does not intend to leave the stage on that account.

—Basil Duke, marauder and guerilla, is a member of the new legislature of Tennessee.

—In Toronto the Hackmen are on a strike, and pedestrianism has become fashionable.

—The Protestant students at Breslau are raising a subscription for the Protestants in Spain.

—A hard nut for the Englishmen to crack—the Harvard shell barque.—[Commercial Bulletin.

—Porter is what Nillssen, Patti and Parepa dote on. It is said to be excellent for the voice.

—Miss Emily Schaumberg, of Philadelphia, is at Cape May, and, as usual, the reigning belle.

—A western invalid complains that he has lost his "hapoy tight." That is a temperance complaint.

—The Albany policeman who arrested Fitch, recently, is said to have seized him by the collar in the ordinary way.

—The *Telegram* speaks of Dædalus as a myth. This the Boston *Post* corrects by asserting that he was a mithter.

—The greatest tailor's "strike" ever heard of was when A. J., of Tennessee, attained the Presidency.—[*N. Y. Post.*

—Although Miss Braddon is crazy, her latest novels are as popular with her class of readers as ever her former ones were.

—Eight newly arrived Chinamen had their handsome pig-tails cut off by hair thieves, in San Francisco, the other day.

—The tide of fashion has set away from Long Branch, but Fisk still remains with his black velvet coat and rather vulgarly displayed diamonds.

—Wendell Phillips is said to give away all of his income. His capital of kind words is supposed, however, to be intact, if it has any existence at all.

—Russia proposes a cable from Siberia to Japan and thence to California. Russia is capable of this, but it would be more capable than pay-cable.

—The Revenue Bureau estimates that there was more real fine whisky destroyed at the recent fire in Philadelphia, than there is left in all the United States.

—Boston has a haunted house, but its ghosts are of the highest respectability—regular May-Flower stock, and there is a good deal of real satisfaction in that.

—Last week, two barks, two ships and three brigs left the port of Philadelphia carrying 753,782 gallons of petroleum to Stettin, Gibralter, Hamburg, Rotterdam and Barbadoes.

—The Hartford *Courant* thinks the Harvard boys are going to win the boat-race in England and chuckles over it, especially as the Englishmen are all betting two to one on Oxford.

—A large yellow apple, very early and very prolific and of an especially pleasant flavor, is grown in Tennessee. It is called the "Hoss Apple" and is recommended for shipment to the North.

—The Viceroy of Egypt is said to intend creating a foreign legion, to be recruited in Europe, but principally in France. This corps will be in garrison at Suez and Ismalia, and its special mission will be to guard the canal and the isthmus.

—A good old conundrum has been spoiled by a baby elephant, in Iowa. The beast, so we are assured, wandered away and climbed a tree, from which it was only recovered by cutting down the tree.

—Miss Alcott, the authoress of Little Women, has collected some of her own (Joe's?) early productions in a little book called "Hospital Sketches and Stories." Miss Alcott was, we believe, an efficent nurse during the war.

—Sam Hildebrand says he has molded a ball for Sheriff M'Neill. This outlaw defies the authorities as well as all laws, and the question has now come to be, shall Hildebrand kill all other Missourians or shall they kill him?

—At Niagara Falls it is said the hackmen have all joined the Young Men's Christian Association, and it is suggested that all the money they extort from strangers, over and above the just fares, shall be handed over to be applied by the Association.

—A day on which two steamers, filled with people, strike on a rock and go down, and everybody on board is saved alive, may be set down as one of the luckiest days of the year. This double catastrophe without loss of life, is quite destitute of a parallel.

—Sixty conversions a night is the report of the revival harvest in Richmond Indiana. The trouble with these crops is that they do not, like the hay, stay cured when once housed; but in a month or two are nearly as fine subjects for conversion as they were before.

—Prussia's system of education has always been regarded as very complete, but the Prussian Government does not seem to be quite satisfied with it, and we learn that hereafter 600,000 thalers per annum are to be used in increasing the salaries of teachers in the primary schools in the eight older provinces of the Kingdom. Since 1852, a gradual increase has been made, and now more than a million and a half thalers more are paid to these teachers yearly, than was the case seventeen years ago.

—Hear the Philadelphia *Bulletin* on the eclipse:

An old lady in Darby got ready for the eclipse on Saturday by smoking seven pieces of looking glass. Her observations were not completely satisfactory.

Small vices are spreading. Men, women and children all over the country took to smoking on Saturday.

During the eclipse on Saturday "Bailey's Beads" could be distinctly seen at the southeast corner of Twelfth and Chestnut streets.

In looking at an eclipse why ought you to hold the smoked glass close to your nose? Because its smutch better.

When the eyes are lustrous,
And locks are clus'ous,
And teeth are pearly, and cheeks are pink,
O, the limi less lot
Of ecstatical rot
A fellow gets writing, you'd scarcely think?

When lips are smiling,
And looks beguiling,
When croquet's in season, and moonlight walks,
May the critics pardon—
Nor Heaven be hard on—
The terrible nonsense a fellow talks!
—*London Fun.*

NEW YORK CITY FASHIONS.

[From Harper's Bazar.]

As the season advances merchants reduce the prices of their goods rather than retain them for another year. At one establishment there is a reduction of twenty-five cents on the yard on all silks, making a difference of five dollars in the twenty yards of narrow silk required for a dress with flounces. Summer silks in neat check and line stripes are shown as low as $1.25 a yard. The ground is shot with two or three colors. Others, for $1.75 a yard, are of a choice shade of blue, green, or lavender, checked with white. These make pretty dresses for the house, both for morning and afternoon. They should be trimmed with notched ruches and ruffles, edged with Tom Thumb fringe. The French trim wash-silks and foulards with Valenciennes lace. Pearl-gray is a favorite color for such materials, and is trimmed with pink, with white and deep rich maroon color.

Suits of Bishop's lawn, sold early in the season for $12.50, are now $10. They have a belted basque and single skirt, tucked and ruffled to the knee. Others, more elaborate, and trimmed to the hips, for $18. These white suits are universally worn at the watering places, serving for breakfast dress, for promenading, and croquet.

Blouses of figured or striped percale, of linen lawn dotted with black, and of unbleached linen embroidered in colors, are worn with woolen and silk skirts. This is a comfortable summer negligee, requiring merely a sailor jacket of the material of the skirt to complete a walking dress.

Soft white flannels, for petticoats, are ornamented near the selvedge with machine embroidery done in white silk floss. Waving lines and scallops are placed far enough from the edge to admit of a hem below. One dollar and a half a yard is asked for the widest patterns. The flannel is a yard wide. The width of the skirt is the quantity required.

The chatelaine braids worn by the Empress and her ladies have been adopted here, though they have by no means superceded high chignons. They consist of a long switch attached to a comb and braided in two or three thick plaits, each of three strands. The comb fastens the plaits underneath the knot of natural hair just above the nape of the neck. They are then brought far forward on the top of the head, crossed in front and fastened back at the sides. The front hair is brushed away from the forehead and rolled high. A small crimped chatelaine of blonde hair is $25. Young girls wear a large smooth waterfall surrounded by a thick braid. The front hair is in graceful waves, and less fluffy than the styles lately worn.

The fancy for the rich quaint fabrics of the Flowery Kingdom still continues. Soft, flowing draperies, in pale, faint colors, and fragrant with sandal wood, are in great favor for dainty summer costumes. Among the richest goods imported from the far East is a delicate tissue of white silk, through which are fine threads of gold and silver. This Oriental gauze is made into tunics, to be worn over rich silk evening dresses, and is very brilliant by gas light. China crape brought from Canton is quite different from the crape called Chinese but manufactured in France. The peculiar "crinkle" of crape is much deeper in the Chinese fabric; it is without French gloss, but has a sparkle here and there like gems, and is of such soft light texture that it may be crushed into very small space without injury. It is quite narrow, and comes in rolls in careless Eastern fashion, twenty yards being allotted to a dress. A pattern costs $80. The delicate rose de Chine is intended for young ladies, and a black for those more advanced. Scarfs of the semi-transparent Japanese crape are imported in rose color, cherry, and sky blue. They are narrow, and two yards long, with fringed ends. These are worn as sashes with white dresses. Price $1,50. Rich crape camlets are as thick as poult, yet as soft as mull, imitate the crape crimp. These are shown in lavender and lapis blue at $3,50 a yard.

The wiry pine-apple cloths are known to be the most durable of all thin materials. With creamy white grounds, checked or barred with black or a gray color, they make attractive dresses for summer. They are 25 inches wide and $2 a yard. Choice patterns of check wash silks are $1,75 a yard. A poorer quality, in large regular checks, is $1,25. This material is as cool as linen, and will wash and wear as well. Real pongees, made in Japan, are pure silk and far preferable to the French mixtures sold under that name. Pale drab and ecru pongee are most desirable.

BREECHES.

Mrs. E. C. Stanton, generalissimo of the female reformers, has issued a new general order directing an assault upon the key of the masculine situation, the very citadel of the man-tyrant's strength. She says:

"The true idea is for the sexes to dress as nearly alike as possible. We have seen several ladies dressed precisely like gentlemen, who appeared far more elegant and graceful than any real man we ever saw. A young lady in Fifth avenue dressed in male costume for years, travelling all over Europe and this country. She says it would have been impossible to have seen and known as much of life in woman's attire, and to have felt the independence and security she did, had her sex been proclaimed before all Israel and the sun. There are many good reasons for adopting male costume: First, it is the most convenient dress that can be invented; second, in it woman could secure equal wages with man for the same work; third, a concealment of sex would protect our young girls from those terrible outrages from brutal men reported in all our daily papers."

If Mrs. Stanton proposed to seize the breeches as a mere matter of convenience, or for the double purpose of securing comfort and equal wages, we might be able to offer but a feeble resistance; but when she openly avows her purpose to use them as a disguise in which she may securely invade our privacy and play the spy in our councils of war, our arms are nerved for a desperate struggle. We can never suffer the woman in this way to discover, and so thwart, all our devices for her degradation. No, never! This concealment of sex is a fraud against which the male nature revolts. We don't want to be falling in love with young gentlemen by mistake, nor do we want them to be falling in love with our amiable self. We have heart-aches enough, in all concience, without these superfluous heart-breaks. And, then, we don't believe their disguise will afford any considerable protection against "those terrible outrages of brutal men." On the contrary, we tremble for own safety, and that is another reason why we should resist the assault upon our unmentionables.

But we console aurselves with the reflection that if our trousers are carried, all will not yet be lost. We shall be measurably secure until repeated assaults have battered us down to the stature of women, wrenched out our beards, hoisted our bass voices into sopranso, pared down our big feet and hands and noses, contracted our chests, expanded our hips, and parted our hair in the middle. These things accomplished, if we can be induced to climb on a chair at the approach of a mouse, and screech violently at the unexpected appearance of a spider, the metamorphosis will be complete, and we shall be at the mercy of brutal men, and compelled to suckle infants, sew on buttons, and do other disagreeable things, for women's wages. And then, how humiliating to think that when woman's victory is thus completed, she will appear far more elegant and graceful than any *real* man! The thing is dreadful to contemplate. Our nerves are only quiet when we reflect that in proportion as elegance and grace are more conspicuous in women, in the same proportion will the same concealment of sex be turned into revealment. We should be thankful for even this little safeguard against the brutal men, this trifling protection against falling in love with other men, to our undoing.—*Mil. Sentinel.*

The Music Business in the United States.

The *Bookseller's Guide* for August, contains an interesting sketch of the rise and progress of music publishing in this country. We copy:

"The progress music has made during the past twenty-five years is truly marvelous. In considering this progress it should be borne in mind that hitherto serious hinderances have always existed. The utilitarian spirit, in its rank and narrow growth in a new country, is not favorable to the development and cultivation of musical taste. Here in America, the population has always been as a handful to the extent and riches of the country, and every impulse has been in the direction of success in practical business life. For several generations there was little if any musical progress. At the opening of the century, however, we note the beginning of that taste for the music of the piano which is the distinctive characteristic of the Americans as a musical people.

"It would be difficult to get at the value of the music publishing business of the United States. Mr. Pond estimates the capital invested in the publication of sheet music and musical works at five millions of dollars. There is comparatively little music imported. Probably two hundred thousand dollars will cover the annual importation. Nearly every piece of music published abroad is immediately reprinted here, and the character of the music heard in the different households of the land is creditable to the national taste.

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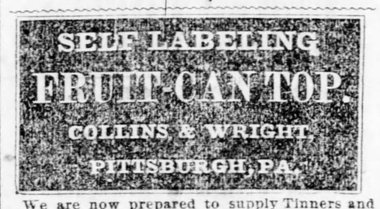

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PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, August 11, 1869.

The oil market continues dull and stagnant, with but little prospect at present of any immediate improvement. Compared with yesterday, prices are lower, but it does not seem to make much difference which way it goes, there is no chance for business. If Crude crude could be forced down to 12½ or 13 cents, or Refined put up to 34 @35, then there would be some chance for the trade: but until it does one thing or the other, the stagnation which has so long prevailed will continue. Some of our refiners, who sold ahead at good round figures, contemplate buying Refined to cover their contracts and sell their Crude, and those who are able to do this will no doubt realize handsomely on both, although that would not be altogether legitimate for a manufacturer, as it turns the refiner into a speculator. However, it is contended that the trade has got into that peculiar shape, that it is almost impossible for the manufacturer, or anybody else, to do what is familiarly termed a legitimate business.

REFINED.

Spot oil, comparad with yesterday, is lower with a sale of 500 bbls at 31½: 500 last half of September at 32½; and 2,000 (120 test) at 28¾, on cars here. Antwerp is reported off again; some dealers think that too much prominence is given to Antwerp, as it does not control the foreign markets to the same extent it did some years since, and it is said that oil is lower in Antwerp than in most of the other leading foreign markets.

CRUDE.

Sale 2,000 bbls, seller this month at 14¾; 2,000 seller all year at 14½, with 5,000 more offered at some figure without pending a buyer. There were additional buyers for spot or seller this month at 14¾, and no sellers. Compared with yesterday, spot is offered a quarter of a cent lower; this decline, however, is so slight that it did little or no good, and no one will pay the present prices unless compelled to do so by force of circumstances. Take the prices of spot crude and spot refined to day, and there is a loss of a $1 to $1,50 per bbl to the refiner.

LUBRICATING OILS.

Eclipse Winter Lubricating oil	40c
Eclipse Railroad Axle	35c
Eclipse Machinery	75c
Eclipse Spindle	80c

RECEIPTS OF CRUDE OIL.

Fisher & Bro	400 bbls.
Parker & Thompson	500 "
Pool & Bro	160 "
John Spear	50 "
S. B. Floyd & Co	51 "
Total	1,181 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED EAST BY A. V. R. R.

Lockhart, Frew & Co. 552 bbls refined to Warden, Frew & Co. Philadelphia.

Wormser, Myers & Co. 251 bbls ref. oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

Citizens Oil Co. 258 bbls refined to Tack & Bro., Philadelphia.

J. C. Kirkpatrick, 53 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.

Braun & Wagner 505 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.

Lyons & Co., 514 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

McKelvy & Bro., 384 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Fawcett, L. & S. 248 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined..... 2,765

OIL SHIPPED EAST AT DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Brooks, Ballentine & Co. 97 bbls ref. to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, August 11.—Cotton firm and more active; sales of 2,600 bales at 33½c for middling uplands. Flour: receipts, 8,484 bbls; flour is dull and 5@10c lower; sales of 6,400 bbls. at $5,90@6,50 for superfine State and western, $6,90@7,35 for extra State, $6,80@7,45 for extra western, $7,50@7,75 for white wheat extra, $6,85@7,65 for R. H. O., $7@8 for extra St. Louis, $9@10,50 for good to choice do. Rye Flour quiet; sales of 150 bbls. at $4,50@6,75. Cornmeal scarce and firm. Whisky steady; sales of 300 bbls. western at $1,12@1,12½ for free, the latter price for small lots. Wheat; receipts, 113,914 bush.; wheat dull, heavy and 2@4c lower; sales of 58,000 bush. at $1,50 for No. 3 spring, $1,55@1,64½ for No. 2 do., $1,70 for new amber Ohio, $1,75 for new amber Tennessee, and $1,65 for new red Georgia. Rye is more active and firmer, with a good export demand for Germany; sales of 40,000 bush. western at $1,20@1,25. Barley and Barley Malt nominal. Canada Peas in fair request; sales 7,500 bush. in bond at $1,33. Corn: receipts 9,585 bush.; market dull and slightly in buyers' favor; sales 37,000 bush. at 85c.@$1,11¼ for unsound new mixed western; $1,14@1,17 for sound do; $1,14 for kiln dried; $1,24 for choice white southern and round yellow. Oats: receipts were 51.928 bush.; market dull and decidedly lower; sales 27,000 bush. at 76@77c. for western afloat; 68@72c. for new do afloat; 66@72c. for Jersey new and southern new. Coal: domestic quiet at $8 per ton by the cargo; foreign nominal. Leather; hemlock sole declining; 30@37c. for Buenos Ayres and Rio Grand light and middle weights. Wool steady and 30,000 pounds sold at 47@50c. for domestic fleece; 34½@36c. for unwashed; 36@37c. for unmerchantable; 65c for Cambrigde: 55@74c. for scoured; 45@47c. for pulled: 63c. for tubbed. Rice dull. Coffee steady. Sugar quiet; sales of 280 bxs Cuba at 11¼@12c. Molasses dull. Petroleum quiet at 17@17¼c for crude, and 32@32¼c for refined. Hops quiet at 11@15c for American. Linseed Oil quiet at 98c@$1 in casks. Pork quiet and steady, with sales of 450 bbls at $33,15@33,25 for new mess; closing at $33,25 cash, $32,75 for old do., $28@28,50 for prime, and $30@30,50 for prime mess; also, 250 bbls new mess, buyer August, at $33,37. Beef steady, with sales of 140 bbls at $8@16 for new plain mess, and $12@18 for new extra mess. Tierce Beef nominal at $18@18,25 for prime mess, and $20@30 for India mess. Beef Hams quiet; sales of 190 bbls at $27 @30. Cut Meats firm; sales of 165 pkgs at 14¾@15c for shoulders, 17@19c for hams: middles firm, with sales of ice cured at 16¾@16¾c. Lard is firmer and quiet, with sales of 450 tierces at 17¼@20¼ steam, 20@20¼ kettle rendered, and last evening 1,500 tierces steam, seller August, 20. Butter steady at 16@30, Ohio 16@37; state cheese firm, at 11@16. Sheathing copper steady at 32c, ingot copper more active, firm at 22¼ for Baltimore and 22¼@22½ for Lake Superior. Pig iron quiet at 38@42 for Scotch, and American bar without decided change, sales at 85@90 for refined English and American; sheet quiet at 11@12½, gold, for Russia. Nails dull and unchanged. Freights: Liverpool firmer. Shipments: 80,000 bush wheat per steamer 9¼@9¾d.

Latest.—Flour closed dull and 5@10c lower. Wheat dull and heavy, with sales $1,53@1,63 for No. 2, and $1,68@1,73 for No. 1 spring. Rye active and firm at $1,23@1,24½ for western. Oats in good supply and dull at 68@70c for new, and 76@77c for western. Corn very quiet at 85@$1,03 for unsound, and $1,14@1,17 for sound mixed western. Pork nominally unchanged. Beef quiet and steady. Cut Meats and Bacon in moderate request and unchanged. Lard quiet at 19¾@20¼c for good to prime steam. Eggs steady at 22@24c.

CHICAGO, August 11.—Eastern Exchange firm at par selling and 1 1-10 discount buying. Flour quiet at $6@7,50 for spring extras. Wheat more active and steadier, with sales No. 1 at $1,47, closing unchanged; No. 2 $1,43@1,44, closing at $1,43: this afternoon market dull at $1,41½@1,43 for No. 2. Corn less active, firmer and 1½@2¼c higher; sales No. 1 at 97½c, No. 2 96@97c, rejected 91@93c, and no grade 85@86c, closing at 96¼@97c for No. 2: this afternoon sales No. 2 at 94c seller last half of August. Oats 2@3c lower, with sales No. 2 at 52@53¼c, closing quiet at 52½@52¾c. Rye fairly active and 2c higher, with sales No. 2 at $1,03@1,04, and rejected 94@95c, closing with buyers of No. 2 at $1,04. Barley firmer, with sales No. 2 at $1,30@1,31½ seller September, rejected 87½c, and sample lots at $1,35@1,40 on track. Highwines in good demand, at $1,05@1,05½, closing easy at $1,05 for new. Sugars active and steady at 13½@14¼c for common to prime Cuba. Provisions more active and firm. Lard is inactive at 18¾@19c. Mess Pork $33,75@34 Dry Salted Shoulders firm at 13¾@14c. Sweet Pickled Hams nominal at 17½@18c; short rib middles 16¾@17c; rough sides 16½c; short clear middles 18c. Freights steady and active at 7½c on wheat to Oswego, and 3½@4c on wheat and 3½c on corn to Buffalo. Receipts for the past twenty-four hours: 4,764 bbls flour, 45,153 bus wheat, 80,970 bus corn, 23,836 bus oats, 1,450 bus rye, 2,535 bus barley, 6,258 hogs. Shipments: 2,991 bbls flour, 51,053 bus wheat, 144,525 bus corn, 39,197 bus oats, 800 bus barley, 3,008 hogs.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11.—Tobacco steady and unchanged. Flour—lower grades scarce and firm; superfine $5,25@5,50; extra $5,60@7,50; double extra $6@6,50; treble extra $6,75@7,25; fancy $9@9,25. Wheat opened firm but closed 4@5c lower on medium grades; choice spring sold at $1,25; prime to strictly prime red fall $1,30@1,40; choice to fancy do; $1,42½@1,50. Corn better; mixed in bulk 80@82½c; mixed in sacks 85c; choice yellow 95c; choice to fancy white 9?@?1. Oats firm; new in bulk 44@46c; black and mixed in sacks 50@53c; choice white 55@56c. Barley—small sales spring at $1,05. Rye firm at 87½c for choice. Whisky advanced to $1,10. Pork steady and firm at $34.25. Dry salt meat—14c was refused for round lots loose shoulders. Bacon quiet and firm at 15¾c for shoulders: 19¼c for clear sides. Lard quiet at 18¾c for steam. Cattle steady and unchanged at 3@6½c for inferior to choice. Hogs steady at $8@10. Receipts—flour 2,100 bbls, wheat 56,700 bu, corn 2,100 bu, oats 16,300 bu, rye 3,000 bu, hogs 900 head.

CINCINNATI, August 11.—Flour dull and prices nominal. Wheat unsettled and no accurate quotations can be given. Corn firm at 95c. Oats 50@60c and firm. Rye firm at $1@1,05. Barley in demand at $1,40@1,45. Whisky firm at $1,08. Provisions firm but unchanged. Mess Pork $33,50 Bulk meats 14c, and 16½c asked for shoulders and sides. Bacon, 15½c asked for shoulders and 19c for clear sides. No clear rib sides in the market. Lard sold at 19¾, but generally held at 20c. Butter and cheese unchanged and steady. Oil unchanged: linseed 97@98c; lard $1,33@1,38; Petroleum, 28@30c for refined. Tobacco in active demand, with sales of 211 hhds at $6,10 to $20,50. Eggs 11c and dull. Gold 134¾ buying. Exchange steady at 1-10 discount buying. Money market easy.

LOUISVILLE, August 11.—Bagging firm and heavy at 23½@24½c. Flour firm, with sales super at $4,75. Grain market steady; Wheat—red at $1,10 and white at $1,15. Corn in bulk at 70@75c. Oats in bulk at 45@50c. Rye at 85c. Barley at $1,10. Leaf Tobacco firm, with sales 96 hhds; prices ranged from $5,30@12,75. Provisions firm, with sales Mess Pork at $34. Bacon—shoulders at 16c, clear rib at 19¼c, and clear sides at 19¼@19¾c. Hams at 22@23½c. Lard—tierce at 20c, and keg at 21½c. Highwines firm at $1,08.

BALTIMORE, August 10.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat firm, prime to choice red $1,60@1,70; good $1,40@1,50. Corn firm, prime white $1,10; yellow $1,11@1,12. Oats dull at 55@60c. Rye dull at $1,12@1,15. Provisions not so strong but prices well maintained; mess pork $34@34,50; bacon less active but firm; rib sides 19¼@19¾c; clear rib 19¾c; shoulders 16½c; hams 24c. Lard firm at 19½@20c. Whisky dull, more sellers than buyers at $1,13@1,14.

MILWAUKEE, August 11.—Flour quiet with prices unchanged. Wheat quiet but firm: $1.50 for No. 1; 1,43½ for No. 2. Oats nominally unchanged, Corn firm; 95c for No. 2. Rye entirely nominal. Barley moderate and in good demand; $1,00@1,25 for common to good grain. Freigh's nominally unchanged. Receipts 2,000 bbls flour, 22,000 bush wheat 1,000 bush oats. Shipments, 1,000 bbls flour, 6,000 bush wheat.

CLEVELAND, August 11.—Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat: sales 900 bush. No. 1 red at $1,58, 11 cars do sold at $1,50; 12 cars do sold at $1,48, and 2 cars No. 2 brought $1,45. Corn: No. 1 is held at $1; No. 2 at 98c. Oats: sales 1 car old at 64c.; 2 cars new 65c. Rye held at $1,10@1,15. Petroleum: refined is held at 28@28½c. for August, and 29c. for September; crude is held at $6.50.

TOLEDO, August 11.—Receipts. Flour 1,927 bbls: wheat 83,281 bush; corn 11,320 bush; oats 600 bush; rye 360. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat lower, closing dull; No. 1 white Michigan $1,50, No. 1 red $1,47½, No. 2 red $1,46, No. 3 red $1,28 new, amber $1,48. Corn No. 1 nominally at 99c@$1, No. 2 97c. Oats No. 1 55c, No. 2 53½. Rye 97½ for No. 2,

PHILADELPHIA, August 11.—Flour in good demand; new extra family $3,50@7,75. Wheat held firmly; new red $1,50@1,65; white $1,70@1,78. Rye $1,20@1,25. Corn comes in steady with prices unchanged. Oats unchanged. Petroleum steady; crude 22; refined 21¼@22½c. Whisky unchanged.

DETROIT, August 11.—Wheat a shade lower with moderate inqury: Extra white at $1,67@1,68: for No. 1 do $1,55@1,56. Corn $1,05. Oats 63c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, August 11.—1 car scrap iron, Brown & Co; 6 cars ore, Shoenberger, Blair & Co; 10 cases cheese, H Riddle: 10 bbls onions, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 10 bbls oil, G N Hoffstott; 10 cases tobacco, M W Rankin; 20 do do, Atwell & Lee; 100 bxs starch, Arbuckles & Co; 14 cases boots, Gill & Bro; 2 bbls tobacco, John Megraw; lot drugs, Fahnestock & Co; 2 cars stone, J L L Knox: 50 bbls oil, John Spear; 51 do do, S B Floyd & Co; 6 pkgs pearl barley, Strickler & Morlege: 10 do do, 4 do oat meal, Seghmyer & Voskamp, 10 do pearl barley, Rinehart & Stevens; 38 sks oats, Bricker & Co; 200 bbls flour, T C Jenkins & Bro; 606 sks corn, 101 do oats, Robb & Herron; 16 bbls apples, F Owens; 19 do do, H Rea Jr; 61 do do, Voigt, Mahood & Co: 8 bbls apples, W H Graff; 6 do do, W C Armstrong; 11 do do, Woodworth & Davison; 20 sks corn, 25 bbls apples, Morrison & Devol; 33 bbls apples, W H Graff; 2 bbls eggs, 3 kegs butter, Head & Metzgar.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, August 11.—6 cars ore, Shoenberger & Blair; 14 cars metal, Nimick & Co; 1 do do, Brown & Co; 9 do do, Hailman & Hammett; 7 do do, Bryan & Caughey: 3 do do, Graff, Byers & Co; 2 do do, Union Mills; 5 bbl gin, S H Watson: 44 hides, J H Straine; 2 hhds tallow, Isaiah Dickey & Co; 2 reams paper, Godfrey & Clark; 36 bales rags, Pittsburgh Paper Company; 35 bxs nails, Lindsay, Sterritt & Co; 50 bbls flour, S Lindsay Jr & Co; 100 do do, T C Jenkins & Bro; 1 bbl eggs, J J Pettit; 54 bgs oats, 19 do rye, W J Meek; 6 bbls potatoes, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 4 bxs tin, Brown & Graham; 9 do do, Geo Kennegott; 25 bbls oil, Beamer, Bauman & Co; 1 car rye, J A Graff; 2 cars corn, Dan Wallace.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, August 11.—19 sks rye, 100 do oats, W Welsh & Co: 41 pkgs scraps, W Flacus & Son: 1 bbbl tallow, J Hammett & Son; 1 car lime, D L Reynolds; 9 rolls leather, M Delange; 2 bbls eggs, Bruggerman & O'Brien; 32 bgs oats, Blaney & Moore; 1 bbl onions, 2 kgs eggs, W H Kirkpatrick & Co: 520 bbls oil, Parker & Thomp-on; 400 do do, Fisher & Bro; 160 do do, Pool & Bro.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, August 11.—100 green hides, Hays & Stewart: 5 hhds tobacco, Martin Heyl; 5 butts do, Knox & Orr; 3 bbls eggs, Head & Metzgar; 2 bxs mdse, J B Bennett; 15 bgs wheat, F Schields; 2 tubs butter, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 3 cars wheat, Scott & Gisal; 3 do do, J S Liggett; 2 do staves, F Kober; 1 do do, W Hastidgs; 50 bbls highwines, Shipton & Wallace.

ALLEGHENY STATION, August 11.—7 cars lime stone, Superior Iron C; 29 sks oats, Johnston & McFarland; 1 car stone, S A Long; 20 sks oats, Joseph Craig: 100 gides, A & J Grotzinger; 10 bbls flour, R & A Carson, 80 sks do, Veoghtly & Kopp; 96 bbls zinc, F Gerdis; 1 car lumber, A C Taggart; 97 bbls apples, F Owens; 15 do do, John Herbert; 1 car wheat, McKee & Co.

RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to recede steadily at this posnt with only two feet in the channel by the Monongahela marks. This begins too look as if the low water season had set in at last. Weather clear and warm: mercury at 4 P. M., 86 in shade.

The New State, from Wheeling, was the only arrival and departure. The R. C. Gray from Cincinnati, is among the first boats due, but she will doubtless be delayed by the low water.

Boats in port—Glendale, Messenger, Camelia and Tom Farrow.

The Glendale brought from St. Louis the remains of a little daughter of Capt. A. C. McConnel, of the Arkansas. She took ill and died on the latter boat while on her recent trip to Fort Benton. This is the second child Capt. McConnell has lost within a year past.

—The Camelia has been sold by Capt. W. Dean to R. C. Mason for $7,000.

—The Bellvernon was announced to leave Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

—We notice that some of our Cincinnati exchanges have the Argosy advertised for Pittsburgh, while others report that she is laid up there.

—The Keokuk Packet Company now signs bills of lading at St. Louis for freight destined for Council Bluffs, Denver and San Francisco. They ship over their line to Keokuk, and from thence over the Valley Road to the Pacific Road.

—The Evansville *Courier* says: Capt. Dexter and Jack Grammer, of the Quickstep, returned from Pittsburgh on the noon train yesterday. Capt. Dexter informs us that he has contracted for a new packet for the Evansville and Cairo packet trade, to be ready to bring down the river in about one hundred days. She is to be about 220 feet long 35 feet beam, 33 feet floor, and 5½ feet hold. She is to have low pressure engines, after the plan of the Great Republic and Quickstep, the Hartupee patent double cylinder, with three boilers, 36 inches in diameter and 26 feet long. She is in every spect a boat adapted to the trade. Her cost will be about $50,000.

—The Sioux City (Iowa) *Journal*, of Thursday says: The Peninah left last Saturday morning for Grand river, taking an anxiously expected cargo of Indian supplies.

The Only Chance came in Friday morning, and left in the afternoon for below.

On Sunday afternoon the Hiram Wood got up from Randall.

The Emilie La Barge and the Utah arrived, Monday morning, from Buford. The former went down in the afternoon. The Utah is waiting here for a cargo of Government freight, and in the meantime is making some slight repairs.

The Andrew Ackley cleared, Monday morning, for Buford, having on board a detachment of the 13th Regular Infantry, numbering 109 men.

The Nick Wall passed here on Tuesday for St. Lou's.

The Deer Lodge, Bertha and Utah are here awaiting cargoes.

The Evening Star is due from below with Government freight.

A report has been current down the river that the Peter Balen had been burned on the upper river. Nothing has been heard here of any such disaster, and the report, with others about the Balen, are doubtless altogether false.

There is a three-foot stage of water between here and Omaha. The upper river is terribly low, and navigation above Buford is impracticable. Near half a dozen boats are up with no prospect of getting down this season. Old steamboat men say they never knew the river so low before at this time of year. This condition of things is attributable to the fact that there was very little snow in the mountains last winter. Many of the upper ports are badly in need of supplies, which the condition of the river prevents going forward.

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Bonds and Mortgages	23,899 50
Bills Receivable	8,236 82
Office Furniture	405.00
Cash on hand	1,660.02
	$109,231.34

RECEIPTS.

Premium	$ 15,719 37
Interest	2,783 41
	$18,502.78

DISBURSEMENT.

Dividends	$ 5,000.00
Losses paid	1,709 00
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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second page: Poetry, "Charity," Ephemeris, New York City Fashions, Breeches. Third and Sixth pages: Finance and Trade Markets, Imports and River News. Seventh page: Clippings, Silk Manufacture and Culture, Fashionable Bathing Costumes for Ladies, Popular Feeling in the New Dominion.*

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 53f.

U. S. BONDS at Frankfort, 88⅜.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 135.

WE publish to-day a very interesting letter from Professor LANGLEY, of the Western University. The Professor was one of the party of astronomers who observed the recent eclipse from various points in Kentucky. And every one must feel gratified at the success of their important labors.

THE FENIANS are giving signs of preparation for another raid on Canada. It is a pity that a few hundred of these erratic enthusiasts, who seem to care more for a scrimmage than for the freedom of their country, cannot be caged and subjected to the tender mercies of the English authorities. Hanging would prove a wholesome antidote for their over zealous and misdirected patriotism.

NINETEEN DAYS only intervene between this and the election on the question of a public park. Let the matter be thoroughly discussed, and let no vote be deposited for or against the project unintelligently. The Park will come whether or not the people now decide in its favor. It is a necessity, and sooner or later the people will make up their minds to have it, and perhaps delay will entail large cost.

THE Ohio and Pennsylvania Democracy propose fighting on the line of greenbacks, but in quite a different manner. PENDLETON's greenback theory is to be tried on with the masses of Ohio, while PACKER's possession of greenbacks without limit is thought to be sufficient reason for his elevation to the highest place in this State. We shall see how far theoretical and practical greenbacks go in a political canvass.

YESTERDAY Pennsylvania had another exhibition on the scaffold in vindication of outraged law. The victim to Justice in this case was CHARLES ORME, an accessory to the murder of THOMAS BAOADHEAD, in Monroe county. If all reports be true of the treatment received by the unfortunate man while in prison, his final taking off must have been accepted with gratitude as a long-wished for measure of relief from the tortures and cruelties of heartless jail-keepers.

COMPETITION tells upon the cost of ocean-telegraphy. The new French line begins with a tariff of $10 for ten words, and the old line at once comes down to $7,50 for a message of the same length. We have reason to anticipate an uniform rate of $5,00 for both lines before the end of the present season. The press-reports by the new line show an improvement in quality over those which, by its elder rival, have been very regularly one-half trash. With the abandonment of the old prohibitory rates of charge, the business of ocean telegraphing will exhibit a wonderful increase in popularity and profit. It is predicted that several additional cables will be laid across the Atlantic within the ensuing five years.

AN EVENT will occur in 1872 which will be of very nearly as much scientific importanee, as well as of interest to astronomers, as the great eclipse of Saturday last. We shall then see the transit of the planet Venus across the Sun's disc. This event occurs periodically, but at alternating intervals of remarkable irregularity, the periods being 8½ and 122½ years. After 1872, the transit will be again visible in 1880, 2002, 2011 and 2133, and so on, beyond the ken of even the youngest inhabitant now of earth. This transit will be observed with peculiar interest, since its conditions will aid in the elucidation of several questions, among others that of the exact distance of our earth from the sun. The last transit was seen in 1750.

THE FREE TRADE LEAGUE are making a desperate effort to secure converts to their pernicious and damaging doctrines. Never was circus or menagerie better billed in this city than are the tenets of faith held by that monied and powerful organization. Nor are their efforts confined simply to Pittsburgh, but to the contrary, their agents are everywhere throughout the country, in cities, towns and villages, scattering their documents and talking their treason to the people at large, and planting seeds which may grow and ripen to the dismay of Protectionists. A counter effort should be made by those friendly to a tariff, and the longer such a movement is delayed the worse it will be, as the enemy are well organized, cunning and crafty. Up and at them is the only safe rule now, and our manufacturers should, in self-protection, adopt it at once.

WHAT HAS become of the immaculate CAREY? The soft handed friend of laborers, the sweet-scented teetotaler, the ardent Democrat, the frothing mouthpiece of free trade, the everything to everybody, SAM CAREY. What becomes of him since PENDLETON has been nominated for Governor of Ohio? Poor CAREY! We pity him. He expected much and realized little. The cats-paw of Democracy, the tool of wiser men, the fellow of all sorts, who drifted beyond his mooring and is wrecked within sight of dry land. Let him rally. He *may* be happy yet, and he may be President of these United States, if he adopts a few more hobbies to make himself popular with the masses. We never had a sincere and earnest regard for the man till we heard him talk most beautiful nonsense to a crowd of hard-fisted laborers, who looked on him with evident awe, inasmuch as a gold headed cane, kid gloved hands and diamond shirt studs were new things to them in the possession of a reformer who bent his whole energies towards elevating the laborer to his proper sphere, and to securing for him the proper pay. Good bye, CAREY! We shall never see your like any more, but we are not sorry that the world has only a few of your stamp left to correct mortality and pecuniarily improve by self-delivered lessons.

FRANCE AND SPAIN.

Whether the Emperor Napoleon has been actuated by purely selfish dynastic considerations, in his recent exchange of a personal for a constitutional government of France, is at present a vexed question with European politicians. Whatever may have been the secret motives for this remarkable change of policy, there are no two opinions expressed, even by the most unfriendly of his critics, concerning the immediate consequences; France is more heartily Napoleonized at this moment than in anything her people have felt since those days of glory which preceded the march to Moscow.

More than this; the Imperial forecast now presents to other European powers, and especially to Spain, which waits for a sign and for a king beyond the Pyrenees, the example of an absolute government quietly converted into an constitutional monarchy, as not only the latest but the most inviting of Napoleonic ideas. If the Prince NAPOLEON be really the coming candidate, favored by all parties in Spain for the vacant throne, the wisdom of his Imperial cousin, in France, cannot fail to reinforce most powerfully their kindly regards. In dissociating before Christendom the two ideas which have heretofore been inseparable—of Napoleonism and of the absolute irresponsibility of sovereignty—the Emperor has perhaps contributed, both by intent and decisively, to a solution of the Spanish question which shall give the government of all Southwestern Europe to the heirs of the dead prisoner of St. Helena.

A POLITICAL DEATH.

PENDLETON was but is no more. The action of the Ohio Democracy in forcing upon him the gubernatorial nomination indignantly spurned and refused by the gallant ROSECRANS, seals his political fate and never more will he rise to the surface. He is powerless. No other course than to accept the very doubtful honor of leadership is left to "Young Greenbacks," and in so doing he necessarily offers himself a sacrifice to his party, and blots out the vaulting ambitions of his life. The ungracious declination of Gen. ROSECRANS plunged the Democracy of our sister State into a fearful dilemma, and one which even the unlearned in political matters interpret to portend great disaster to Mr. PENDLETON. Popular with the masses, the acknowledged father of a pernicious though fascinating financial doctrine, a shrewd and cunning politician, if not a clever statesman, Mr. PENDLETON, over and above all others of his party, seemed the coming Presidential candidate who could muster most strength as a Democratic standard-bearer; but his hopes and those of his friends must now dissipate, for never again can he attain, after local defeat in his own State, the prominence and position in which found by the Central Committee that has forced upon him the position Rosecrans scorned and rejected. The friends and admirers of Mr. PENDLETON outside of Ohio will hail his nomination with regret and sorrow. They had hoped he was in training for higher honors, and will sadden at the thought that a man of so much strength and of such mighty promise should be crushed to save his party from disorganizing into fragments.

Mr. PENDLETON was the only available man left the opposition in Ohio. He is popular and strong, but it will be no very difficult matter to bring about his defeat. He can have no hope of election, for his party has none. He fully realizes the position in which he is placed, and clearly sees political ruin to himself no matter in which way he turns. To refuse to sacrifice himself for the good of his party would be unpartisan and reprehensible; to accept the nomination is to accept defeat, and consign himself to a shelf where he will grow dust covered and mouldy before again called to serve any portion of the people as a candidate. Alas! Poor PENDLETON!

UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE.

Eighteen States have ratified the XVth Article of the Federal Constitution, with so complete a precision of formalities that no partizanship can be found so stubborn as to raise any objection thereto.

Three other States have taken action thereon, which has been claimed as sufficiently affirmative, but as to which objections are earnestly made, by an opposition which is wholly sincere in its resolution to combat the amendatory proposition to the last practicable moment. As to two of these States, Missouri and Nebraska, it is beyond dispute that their legislative acts of ratification were imperfect, by reason of their recitation, in each instance, of a mutilated version of the text of the Article. It is manifest that the ratifying intent of each of these States must be regarded as having failed through this imperfect description, and the legislative act in each case must legally count for nought. The next Legislatures in those States will take up the proposition as a new one, ratifying or rejecting it as their majorities may incline. There is no doubt as to Missouri, since the same Legislature meets again in January next, and will then correct its record. The probabilities, fortunately, are also in favor of a Republican preponderance in Nebraska, but our politicians can better rely on the certainties after the election shall be held. As to the third State, Indiana, the circumstances attending her alleged approval of the Article are familiar to our readers. We need not remind them of our often expressed inability to concur with those who defend the legality of that ratification, as pronounced by a body of men whose legislative functions for any purpose whatever could not be recognized under the local Constitution. We have only to add, now, that if the Amendment shall finally secure only just twenty-eight States, for one of which Indiana shall be by this action claimed, the people of the United States may prepare themselves for the inauguration of such a political strife, upon their precise constitutional *status* in this connection, as will be endless unless it be ended most mischievously. But one course, in this situation, can be regarded as statesmanlike, whether in a partisan or patriotic light. The imperfect act which thus asserts the full sanction of the State authority, must count for nothing, and the question be regarded as still open, awaiting the formal decision of a legally constituted Legislature.

Three other States, Minnesota, Iowa and Vermont, will ratify, the last in October and the other two in January next.

Rhode Island hesitates. One branch has assented, and the other is expected to do so in January.

Of the States which have rejected the Article, a question has been raised as to the right of Ohio to reconsider her action, when her next Legislature convenes, but it does not meet with a favorable consideration among our Republican friends in that State. Eight other States, New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, Kentucky, Tennessee, Oregon, California and Georgia, are also to be counted against the Amendment, and it is idle to hope for aid in that direction.

But three States remain—Virginia, Mississippi and Texas. The Article will be ratified, we think, by each of these.

Thus we see that nine States are hopelessly in opposition to this important proposition, and that, of the remaining twenty-eight, its adoption will require the support of all, including not only the eighteen which have acted, and the five more which are reasonably certain to approve it, but still the other five, Indiana, Nebraska, Virginia, Texas and Mississippi, as to four of which there is no positive result to be reckoned on, until their elections shall be held. If all these States shall be finally secured, the Article will then have just twenty-eight votes—the bare three-fourths required by the Constitution.

We have lost Tennessee by gross mismanagement and a shameful local quarrel. The interests of the Republic forbid the possibility of such a result in the two States yet to be reconstructed. In the pending Article, is presented the most vital issue for their coming elections. Republican efforts, and influence in and out of office, local or National, should be directed to secure this constitutional end, no matter what other features the local canvasses should assume. The destinies of the South, and the repose of the Republic hang upon that particular issue. And we believe that this fact is everywhere understood.

It is idle to predicate any speculations upon the adoption of the Article as certain to be an accomplished fact. It is *not* certain, but it is possible, and with efforts in the right quarter, and from the right quarter, it is fortunately more than probable. But it requires the vote of every State which there is even a possibility of securing—and that is a situation in which we may as well lay aside all vain-boasting and put our hands faithfully to the work before us. When we call things by their right names, and look facts as they are in the face, we shall comprehend the situation and the work which we have to do. This survey of the field shows us the points of which we must possess ourselves, and without which we may well regret not a little of labor lost.

NEW PROCESSES IN IRON MAKING.

A New York journal announces another "revolution in iron," basing its enthusiastic assumption upon a recent discovery made by a Dr. Field, of Wilmington, Del., of which we are favored with the annexed account:

We have been shown various specimens of Iron and Steel made by the new process. That they are all of extraordinary excellence, no one at all familiar with Iron can doubt after seeing them, and from the Steel have been manufactured Files, Razors, &c., of the finest quality. This Iron is made from very common Pig by the addition of certain chemicals in the process of puddling, whereby all Sulphur and Phosphorus is eliminated and banished at a cost of 70 to 80 cents per tun of Iron. Dr. Field says that he can thus make a superior Iron of any Pig, and at a trifling expense. That shown us was exibited side by side with the famous Lowmoor (British) Iron, sold here at 21 cents per pound, and is fully its equal; and it challenges comparison with the best Norwegian or Swedish Iron. Dr. Field also claims a like superiority for his Pig Iron, and that his castings are five times as strong as those made by the old process. He asserts that Iron made by his process does not stick to the bottom of the furnace, is more uniform in quality, exceedingly tough and tenacious, and can be run out of any existing furnace with a saving of some 25 pounds per day now wasted in running out.

Much attention has been given of late, to the investigation of existing imperfections in the reduction of this very useful metal from its ores, and in the refining of the first products, as taken crude from the smelting furnaces. Within a few years past, various important discoveries have been heralded to the world, but, looking at the actual state of the trade, so far as it has succeeded in making these discoveries of practical profit, we are not able to find such cause for congratulation as to justify the sanguine predictions of inventors. It is nevertheless true that, while many of the expected results have not been attained, there have still been secured many valuable additions to the stock of practical knowledge, and it is reasonable to believe that the way grows, with every forward step, clearer to the ultimate realization of the best possible methods for the preparation of the most serviceable of all the metals for the use of our race.

THE ECLIPSE.

[Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

OAKLAND, Ky., August 9, 1869.

The very extensive preparations, which had been made for the observation of the total eclipse in this section, appear to have been rewarded by a full success.

Four parties, working in conjunction, occupied as many points from Falmouth on the Northern limit of totality, to Oakland on the Southern. The principal station was at Shelbyville, to which, in addition to the equatorial belonging to the college there, and a very complete set of instruments of precision, under the charge of the United States Coast Survey, several large telescopes for photography and other purposes, and numerous spectroscopes, had been brought from Cambridge.

The telegraph brings the information that *eleven* bright lines were seen in the rose-colored flames during the eclipse, only nine having been hitherto detected, and the existence of more than five of these having been deemed doubtful. This observation can hardly fail to give us more definite knowledge of the constituents of the solar atmosphere than we have hitherto enjoyed.

The writer was one of those to whose share it fell in the division of labor to observe, as closely as possible, to the edge of the shadow, and where the duration of the eclipse was of the briefest. The Chronograph and some of the other instruments belonging to the observatory of our University in Allegheny, were dismounted for the purpose, and brought to Oakland, a station on the line of the Louisville & Nashville railroad. At the same point an apparatus was so arranged that the current of electricity on the main telegraph line was broken every second during the progress of the eclipse, by the motion of a pendulum, each beat of which was recorded on the Morse registers of every telegraph station on the main line. The operators were requested by telegraph to strike their keys at the commencement and close of the contacts, and an accurate register was thus, it is hoped, obtained at many points where there could be no trained observers.

The phenomena of the totality were of a most impressive character, though necessarily comprised in a brief period, from the position which the station occupied.

The fast-waning light; the sudden projection of that wonderful corona; the extraordinary flames of rosy light from the sun's disc; the successive extinction of points of the solar circumference like expiring embers, and finally—in the one moment of obscurity; the aspect of the sky, with the body of the moon projected, as it were, *forward* till it seemed to approach us and stand out as a solid sphere on the more distant background of the sky;—all this, and much more, went to crowd that brief interval of a few seconds with food for long recollection.

It may be stated that the observations at this point were successful, and that they, with those at other points of the expedition, will be collated under the care of Professor J. Winlock, the Director of the Observatory of Harvard College, through whose means the parties were organized. The instruments from our own neighborhood are on their return to Allegheny, where it may be hoped they will be actively employed in the less striking, but not less useful, every-day labors of the Observatory. S. P. L.

LETTER FROM HITTY MAGINN.

[Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, August 10th. 1869.

Since my last letter, I have been absent from the city, and having visited one town at least where I presume the GAZETTE has no regular correspondent, take this opportunity, while the great eclipse has overshadowed all local news, to give your readers some information about Cairo.

This much abused town was located at the junction of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers by a far seeing company who believed the site possessed the natural advantages for a great city. At that time, in the infant west, railroads were not; water communications were all we had, and likely to remain so, and to all appearances it was reasonable to look for a grand convergence of traffic thither, as of carts and omnibusses to-day at the south-end of City Hall Park, New York. Cairo is precisely such a focus, the two great rivers being represented by the broad and busy avenues which there pour their multitudinous throng into one turbulent mass.

The transient visitor wonders yet why a great metropolis has not grown up there, in spite of the low site, the annual overflow, the presumed unhealthiness, all of which obstacles could have been overcome as easily as at Chicago. The sanguine citizens still anticipate a glorious future, and attribute their moderate prosperity hitherto to Chicago jealousy and misrepresentation.

Perhaps so; perhaps *Martin Chuzzlewit* should shoulder a part of the blame; perhaps no system of water communication can give permanent prosperity to an inland city without extensive facilities for speedy land transportation. Whatever the cause may be, Cairo to-day, instead of 200,000 inhabitants, contains barely 12,000, of whom about one-quarter are indigent freedmen, who found their way there as refugees during and since the war.

It may be imagined that Cairo does not wear an aspect of great prosperity. The numberless eating and drinking places that line her costly levee, stand with doors invitingly open; but few, alas! are the hungry and thirsty way-farers to cross their thresholds. The traveler whose fate compels him to pass a night there is startled by the ghostly echo of his own foot-fall through the long corridors of the St. Charles. He dispatches or neglects the business that brings him there and hastens to some less lonely spot.

Cairo approximates as nearly as any place I know of to a "finished" town. The Government is building a Custom House, an elegant structure of free stone to cost, if ever completed, about $300,000. The Freedmen's Bureau is putting up a school house which will be worth $3,000. This is all Uncle Sam's work, besides which, in rambling for a couple of days through the town, I found one frame dwelling erecting. I could not hear that there were any accessions to the population, except in the old way, that even even dull times will not hinder.

The future of Cairo is "in the lap of the gods." Whatever may have been said, there are much worse places. Her people assert the location to be a healthy one. They say that the great mass of water contributed to the Ohio by rivers flowing from the south raises its temperature considerably above that of the Mississippi, and that the result is a constant current of air over the peninsula and town. This is scientific, and I rather think true, and, if so, it must be conducive to a healthful climate. It is said very few people die there, which may be accounted for some other way. People don't like to be buried under water, and the nearest ground suitable for a cemetery is twelve miles off at Villa Ridge. Thither by rail all funerals go, at the trifling expense of sixty-five dollars a car. It is easy to see that dying is about the most expensive luxury one can indulge in at that city. Whether you go to heaven or to—Chicago from Cairo, you must take the Illinois Central. I don't know the fare to Chicago, but it is not sixty-five dollars.

Southern Illinois takes kindly to its nickname, "Egypt." The county of which Cairo is the capital, is Alexander. Thebes is not far off on the Mississippi. Dengola is on the railroad, some thirty miles north. Thin beer is brewed at the Egyptian Brewery, and the shores of the Nile are not more regularly overflowed than the streets of Cairo. There is no *Pacha* that I know of, except the mild ejaculations of travelers. And so we leave Cairo.

Let me give the Illinois Central credit for promptness, speed and good coaches, not to forget a capital supper at Centralia. "Like a good deed in a naughty world," this shines among western eating stations, and deserves more than this notice.

HITTY MAGINN.

Washington Items.

A leading member of the Republican party of Mississippi, who left here some days since to see the President, has just returned from Secretary Fish's residence on the Hudson. He had a long interview, during which the politics of Mississippi were fully discussed, the President himself leading off in a free statement of his own views on the condition of affairs in the South. If the gentleman who had the interview felt at liberty, without the President's permission, to give in detail the views so fully expressed to him, there would no longer be the slightest doubt that the former heartily sustained the party that supported Wells in Virginia, Stokes in Tennessee, and now opposes Dent in Mississippi. There is not the slightest reason to doubt that he is strongly opposed to the Dent movement, believing that it is intended mainly to defeat the only loyal party in the State. So definite and clear were the views expressed by the President that a publication of them is deemed most important by leading Republicans. A careful statement is being prepared, and the President's permission for its publication will be asked on his arrival to-morrow.

The President is reported to have expressed doubts as to the sincerity of the new-found allegiance of the Southern Democrats to the Republican party, and to have declared that the refusal of the Conservative Republicans in Virginia to accept the offer of conciliation made by the Radicals is sufficient proof that their ultimate object is the destruction of the Republican party. In short, he looks upon the refusal as an act which re-establishes the old party lines in the South, and hereafter he will treat Conservatives as Democrats. In other words, having tried a perilous experiment in Virginia, and proved the dishonesty of the Southern leaders, he will in the future profit by his experience, and place trust only in men whose Republicanism is assured by acts already performed, rather than by promises for the future.

The matter of disposing of the "iron-clad oath" is not a subject for the President or General Canby to decide. It is on the statute books, and there it will remain until Congress chooses to take it off. An opposition rumor is that the question has been seriously considered here as to whether or not the President with his settled opposition to test oaths, in which he is strongly supported by General Sherman and two or three members of the Cabinet, will abide by the decision of the Attorney General respecting the requirement of that oath from members elect to the Legislatures in the yet unreconstructed States. Radicals assert that the decision of the Attorney General will be final, no matter what the result may be.

Tennessee has not yet ratified the Fifteenth Amendment, but the friends of Senter insist that the Conservative majority in the new Legislature are fully committed to it. *Nous verrons.*

The ex-rebel enthusiasm for Chinese labor in the South has sunk to zero since the announcement that the Mongolians cannot be used in this free country as coolies or slaves.

A new Unitarian congregation has been organized in this city, to be known as "The Free National Church of Christ." It is designed that it shall be in every sense a free church. The first public service will be held next Sunday.

M. DE LESSEPS, the engineer of the Suez Canal, has a still grander enterprise in view, now that his first draws near its accomplishment. He has found that the great desert of Sahara lies below the level of the Red Sea, and that a canal of seventy-five miles would let in water sufficient to cover the now arid waste. It is believed by some geologists that the desert was once covered by water. Should M. de Lesseps' great project be carried into effect, intercourse with the interior of Africa would be far easier than it is now.

—Paul S. Forbes (the New York *World* says) has been sent to Madrid, by the Administration, as confidential government agent, in association with General Sickles—a place which his former intimacy with General Prim especially qualifies him.

CHICAGO, August 11.—Markets quiet in P. M., and prices without particular change. No. 2 spring wheat closing at $1.42, seller August. Corn closes at 93½, seller last half August. In P. M, a few lots of wheat sold at $1,43, seller August, closing firm. Corn nominal.

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At this season of the year the body is peculiarly sensitive, because it is greatly weakened and relaxed by the continuous heat. The skin, in summer, with its millions of pores wide open, is a very different sort of tegument from the compact fibrous covering which it becomes under the action of the winter's cold. The muscles, too, are comparatively flaccid, the nerves tremulous, the blood poor, and the whole frame less capable of enduring fatigue and resisting disease. These indications of a depressed condition of the vital forces are so many unmistakable hints that nature needs reinforcing.

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☞**TAILOR'S TAKE NOTICE.**—Pursuant to a call of the Journeymen Tailo 's International Convention, A Mass Meeting of the Journeymen Tailors of this city will be held at No. 182 SMITHFIELD STREET on THURSDAY EVENING, August 12th, at 8 o'clock. au12:n31

☞**A. Y. M.—THE MEMBERS** of ALLEGHENY H. R. A. CHAPTER are requested to meet in Masonic Hall, Allegheny City, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock for the p rpose of attending the funeral of our late companion, R. O. Hadfield.
By order of the
au12 M. E. H. P.

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OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, August 11, 1869.

The unfavorable reports about the crops of England and the Continent being confirmed, the prospects of a large export of grain and flour are thereby improved. The necessity of shipping specie to Europe no longer exists, and gold consequently declined to 135, and closed weak and dull.

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Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 135; Silver, 128; Eighty-one's, 124; Five Twenties, 1862, 124; do 1864, 122⅜; do 1865, 122⅝; do 1865, Consols, 121⅝; do 1867, 121⅞; do 1868, 121½; Ten Forties, 114¾; New York Central, 211¼; Erie, 28¼; Reading, 97½; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 153¾; Ohio & Mississippi, 32¼; Michigan Southern, 106½; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 106¼; Chicago & Rock Island, 117½; Chicago & North Western, 90; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 98¼; Adams Express Company, 59; Merchants Union Express, 41; Pacific Mail, 85⅞; Western Union Telegraph Company, 38⅜; Am. W. Express, 59½.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold, 135¾; United States Sixes, 1881, 124; Five-Twenties, 1862, 124; do. 1864, 122⅞; do. 1865, 122¾; Ten-Forties, 115; Five-Twenties, January and July, 1865, 121⅝; do. do. 1867, 121⅞; do. do. 1868, —; Due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, 88½; Central do, do., 99; Cy. Pacific, 110⅜; Lake Supriorse, 96.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, August 11, 1869.

Money rather active but easy at 6@7 per cent., chiefly the inside. Sterling unchanged but firm. Gold lower and opened at 135½, and closed at 135. Carrying rates at 3@6 per cent. Exports today $265,000. The steamer to-morrow has $300,000 engaged. The clearances were $47,000,000.

Governments are lower and heavy. Coupons of '81, 124@124¼; do. '62, 124⅛@124¼; do. '64, 122¾@123; do. '65, 122¾@123; do. new, 121¾@121¾; do. '67, 121⅞@122; do. 68, 121½@121¾; 10-40's, 145½; Pacifics, 110@110½.

State bonds dull; Missouris 87½; old Tennessees 62; new do. 54¼; old Virginias 56; new do. 61; old North Carolinas 56; new do. 49⅞.

Stocks generally lower, closing unsettled. Rock Island was the strongest on the list, while Pacific Mail and Northwestern shares were the weakest. The decline in Pacific Mail was accounted for by the increased freight shipments over the Pacific Railroad, in consequence of the recent reduction in rates. There was also a rumor that passenger travel by sea was falling off. Panama Railroad shares sold at 250 to-day, and at the close 210 was the best bid, against 345 just previous to the opening of Pacific Railroad. The erratic course and downward movement in Northwestern stock was attributed to the manipulations of Mr. Drew. The rise in Rock Island was due to rumors of purchases for account of parties connected with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The New York Central and Hudson River Directors were in session at Saratoga to-day on the consolidation question. It is said the principal speculators in Northwestern shares to-day were selling privileges to deliver to them the common stock at 90 at any time within thirty days for one per cent.

Five-Thirty Prices: Canton, 60½; Cumberland, 35½; Western Union Telegraph, 38⅛; Quicksilver, 15⅞; Mariposa, 7; do. preferred, 13; Pacific Mail, 84¼; Adams Express, 59¼; Wells 21⅝; American, 40; United States, 60¼; Merchants Union, 10½; N. Y. Central, 210⅜; Harlem, 164¾; do. preferred, 163; Hudson, 185⅝; Reading 97⅞; Erie, 28⅝; do. preferred, 54; Michigan Central, 131⅜; Michigan Southern, 107⅝; Illinois Central, 140; Pittsburgh, 106½; Northwestern, 89¾; do. preferred, 98⅝; Columbus, Cleveland and Cincinnati, 75¾; Rock Island, 117½; St. Paul, 82½; do. preferred, 91; Wabash, 74; do. preferred, 81; Ft. Wayne, 158¾; Alton and Terre Haute, 35¼; do. preferred, 58; Chicago and Alton, 160; do. preferred, 160½; Ohio and Mississippi, 32¼; St. Joe, 128; Dubuque, 109.

Mining shares; Gregory, 42; Smith & Parmlee, 270.

Copper stocks at Boston: Copper Falls, 6; Franklin, 11; Minnesota, 15⅝; Quincy, 25.

Balance in Sub-Treasury, $94,203,745. Exports of Produce for the week, $3,729,514. The Sub-Treasury bought $2,000,000 Five-Twenty bonds of various issues at 120 85-100@121 20-100.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, August 11, 1869.

The markets, in a general way, present but little that is new or really important. For most of the leading articles there is a fair local demand and a moderate volume of business in the aggregate, but there is no change to note in values with the exception of flour and grain, which are both considerably stronger under the influence of the advices from both east and west; there is not much excitement here, however, and the demand is confined mainly to supplying immediate wants, and the impression prevails that the present flurry in New York and Chicago will be of short duration. That there is an improved export demand for both wheat and flour at New York is conceded, but, as nearly always is the case, speculators run prices up to such a pitch that exporters could not buy, and the consequence, is a slight reaction. Flour and wheat are both relatively cheaper here than almost any other place in the country, and as we have repeatedly stated, it is owing mainly to a strong and, in some instances, bitter local competition.

APPLES—In good supply, and dull and drooping; sales at $2,50@3,50@4, for fair to choice.

BUTTER—Also is dull, with a supply considerably in excess of the demand, and prices are barely sustained, 20@25, for fair to choice.

BERRIES—Blackberries are not so plenty, the arrivals, apparently having fallen off considerably, but prices remain unchanged, at $1@1,25 per pail,

BEANS—Sales at $1,75@2.

BROOMS—Quoted as follows: No. 5 $6,50; No. 4 $6; No. 3 $5, No. 2, plain, $4,50, and market firm.

CHEESE—Although firmer, is quiet and unchanged.

CEMENT—Johnstown Hydraulic Cement is quoted at $2,25 per bbl.

CARBON OIL—Standard brands may be quoted at 28 for 50 or 100 bbl lots and 30 in a retail way.

DRIED FRUIT—Out of season.

EGGS—Very dull at 15@16.

FEATHERS—Dull; quoted at 80@85 cents to the trade, and the usual advance for small lots in store.

FLOUR—Is arriving more freely, and notwithstanding none can be brought here from Chicago, the supply seems to be fully up the demand, and the market although firm, is quiet. We continue to quote Spring Wheat brands at $7,00@7,25 for fair to good, and $7,50@7,75, for choice to fancy.

GRAIN—Wheat is scarce and in steady milling demand at $1,30@1,35 for new, and $1,40 for old—$1,45 offered to-day for the latter. It is true, the mills can scarcely afford to buy at these prices, as it seems impossible to advance flour in this market, but still they are obliged to "grind away" in order to keep up their trade, even if they do not make any money. Oats very irregular, and cannot be quoted correctly; sales of new crop, for future delivery, at 45@50c, and small sales of old in store at 65@67. Corn is scarce and firm, we now quote mixed at $1,00@1,05 and prime yellow at $1,08@1,10. Sale 1 car old Rye at $1,19—new may be quoted at $1,12@1,15.

HAY—Sales at Allegheny Diamond Scales at $14@20 per ton.

HEMP—Very dull, $205 per ton.

HUSKS—Sales at 2¾@3 cts per pound.

LIME—White Lime is quoted at $1,50, and Cleveland at $2,50, per bbl.

LARD OIL—F. Sellers & Co. quote Extra No. 1, at 1,44, and No. 2, at $1,05.

POULTRY—Sales of spring chickens, at 60@65 per pair.

POTATOES—Dull and in good supply but unchanged—$1,50@1,75 per bbl.

PROVISIONS—Firm but unchanged. Shoulders, 15¾@16; Ribbed and Clear Sides, 18½@19¾; Cincinnati Sugar Cured Hams 23½ and fancy 24. Lard, 20¼ in tierces, and 20¼@21 in half bbls and kegs. Dried Beef 21½. Mess Pork at $33,75@34.

PEACHES—Sold to-day at from $1,75@2,00 per box or bushel, and it is said that they cost that delivered here.

PEANUTS—Sales, at 12½.

SALT—Allegheny River brands are quoted, by the car load, 1, at $1,75@80.

TALLOW—Rendered quoted at 10½.

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Only 1,250 fresh cattle arrived for the mid-week market at the National yards, of average good quality, and were early sold at prices a little stronger than Monday, tops bringing 16¼c; still with a perfect glut of fresh the demand for meat is restricted. The Florida shippers are still holding, and being inclined to see if they can be brought to a safe condition to go on the farms; there is considerable mortality among them on account of their emaciated condition on the landing. Expecting these, all stock has been sold; a fine drove of 94 grades from Kentucky, 8½ cwt, brought 15¾@16¼c; 50 head from Fayette county, Kentucky, 8¼ cwt, sold at 15½@16c; 60 head, also Kentucky, 8¼ cwt, averaged 16c; there were many Kentucky beeves in the market; a drove, 6½ cwt, Illinois cattle, averaged 16¼c, with 60 head Missouris, 5¾ cwt, at $66 each. Only 2,000 sheep and lambs were received to-day—nearly all lambs; they are lower, selling at 6½@8c; fat sheep are wanted; sales 100 Pennsylvania lambs, 52 pounds, at 7½c; 250 Canada, 58 pounds, at 7½c, with some Jerseys of 50 pounds at 8c, and a few State, 60 pounds, and extra, at 8¼c. Hogs steady at 10@10¾c, with a live car, 212 pounds, State selling at 10¼c; dressed are worth 12¾c; arrivals to-day of 4,600.

CHICAGO, August 11.—Cattle quiet at $4@5 for cows, $5,50@6 for fair to medium light steers, and $6,25@6,87½ for medium to good heavy steers. Hogs quiet at a decline of 15@25c on lower, and firm and unchanged on upper grades, with sales at $8,65@8,90 for common, $9@9,35 for fair to medium, and $9,50@9,80 for good to choice.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, August 11.—Dry goods; improved inquiries for staple styles of woolen and cotton fabrics and prices rule steady. The only changes of consequence are in Conestoga tickings, which are lower. Conestoga C C A reduced from 22 to 21c; D A C from 24 to 22½; do gold medal from 26 to 25c; extra from 31 to 30. Wool flannel in request, firm.

MEMPHIS, August 10.—Cotton unchanged, receipts 7 bales; exports 10 bales. Flour $6,50@8,50. Wheat 90c.@$1,30. Corn held at 90c. Oats 47½c. Hay $25@28. Bran 17@19c. Corn meal $3,35@3,75. Pork $35@35,50. Lard 20@21½c. Bacon steady and firm, shoulders 16c; sides 19½c.

The Pittsburgh Gazette

Popular Feeling in the New Dominion.

MONTREAL, August 4.—Traveling from Montreal east to Quebec, and south of the boundary line, I have at length had what I have long earnestly desired, an opportunity of thoroughly inquiring into the feeling existing throughout the Lower Provinces in respect to the great questions of the day, annexation and independence. Where independence is advocated, that is to say everywhere, it meets scarcely an opposing voice; where annexation is urged it is rarely rejected as a possible event, and by a very large class, and probably the best class of farming people, openly adopted. In a journey which occupied twelve days, and during which my attention was particularly directed to eliciting public feeling on these matters among all classes of people, particularly French Canadians, I only heard two persons take up the cudgels against annexation, and not *one* against independence. I find a wide-spread feeling of extreme loyalty to the British Government, and firm determination expressed that no *war* shall ever bring Canada into the Union, all I have heard seeming to ridicule the idea of a war or of Canada taking any side but that of the "Old Country" in the event of so lamentable a contest occuring. But, on the other hand, there seems to be a universal belief in the incapacity of their Federal Government, in quick coming bankruptcy under the existing order of affairs, and the absolute necessity for a political change, the only difference of opinion being the choice between independence and annexation. I have talked to men with their thousands of dollars yearly income, and men who earn a mere living by the sweat of their brow, and the singleness of feeling existing, if their words are to be believed, is unquestionable. They say, in fact, "Let us have independence, and *then*, if the *people* want annexation and vote for it, why we don't see much objection to it." In Lower Canada, that is the universal political profession, and the elections of 1870 will see the truth of this tested at the hustings. At Richmond, a growing and important railway and agricultural centre, skirting the Grand Trunk east to Quebec, and south to the boundary line, calling at Windsor, Brompton, Ulverton, Drummondville, Lennoxville, Waterville, Compton, Coaticook, Norton, Hatley and Stanstead, and throughout the important county of Missisiquoi, I found the residents almost wholly English speaking, with a large sprinkling of folk from the New England States; and it is singularly true of these last, they appear in almost all cases as attached to Canada and as loyal as any in the land to the governing country, while desiring a political severance, in the belief that it will prove beneficial to both Great Britain and the Dominion.

Fashionable Bathing Costume for Ladies.

A Princess is about to repair to Dieppe on her return from her estate. She has convoked, before her departure from Paris, an assembly of all the reigning beauties of the great world of fashion—the *cocodettes*, whose caprice is the only real power left—and she and all have determined to reject the horrible costume hitherto worn for bathing in the sea, and to substitute therefor another more consistent with elegance and grace.

"What need is there," said the Princess, "to attire us like mummies just dry from the Pyramids or like packages bound in tarpaulin to be sent by railway? Let us have something better calculated to show the figure to advantage, while remaining equally decent and modest. We have decided on forming a swimming club, and as the uniform will be of the same shape and make for us all, let it be made to favor me in particular." The result we are enabled to give. "Something tight and snort, not lower than the knee, and clasping the figure with equal grace and firmness—something between the running costume of our French jockeys and your English prize fighters!"

The Club has been organized already, to be presided over by the Princess, and giving a detail of the conditions of admission and costume; the latter to be composed of a "*retement*" of stout white merino, close fitting to the shape, and bound at the knees with scarlet ribbons, a scarlet sash round the waist, and a scarlet ruche round the neck; short sleeves, looped with scarlet bows, and a casquette of the same material as the "*vetement*," with a scarlet peak. And so the Swimming Club is organized, and will be set to work as soon as the Princess returns. Already has a house been secured at Dieppe, where the meetings will be held, and already have the *cocodes* of Paris agreed to be present at the first trial of skill to be made by the fair members. Husbands and brothers all look grave and glum at the prospect of the anticipated ovation to be bestowed on this occasion, but we all know how unjust and tyrannical these connections always are in every country.—*Paris Letter to the London Court Journal.*

Silk Manufacture and Culture.

The growth of the silk manufacture in the United States must soon compel extensive silk culture in this country. The manufacture of sewing silk in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut has already nearly driven the French and Italian threads from the market. Hartford, Mansfield and Manchester, in Connecticut, Hoboken and Patterson, in New Jersey, and Troy, Yonkers, and New York city, in New York, are the seats of extensive sewing silk factories, and in Manchester, Connecticut, in Patterson, New Jersey, and in one or two other places, silk ribbons are now made which are nearly as good as the best foreign articles, and, it is said, cheaper. It is stated that there are fifty establishments in New York city engaged in the manufacture of silk in its various stages, though the most of these factories are quite small. The oldest and largest establishment in the country is in Manchester, Connecticut. It employs one thousand hands, and is now making dress silks and other wide goods, as well as thread and ribbons. The establishment of large cocooneries not only in California, but in the South, will soon become a profitable business.

THE Windsor and Annapolis Railway, in Nova Scotia, traverses the scene of Longfellow's "Evangeline." The locomotives on the road, which is now nearly finished, are named, in honor of the characters in this and others of Longfellow's poems, the "Gabriel," the "Gaspereau," the "Evangeline," the "Hiawatha" and the "Minnehaha."

CLIPPINGS.

A NEW pulpit of Lebanon cedar and olive wood was dedicated at the Congregational church at Amherst, Massachusetts. The wood was a gift from Rev. Mr. Bliss, President of the Missionary College at Beirut, Syria, and is supposed to be fully two thousand years old.

THE N. Y. *Express* announces the suspension of the eminent dry goods commission house of Bowen, Beekman & Co., in consequence of the steady decline in woolens. Liabilities estimated at three millions; assets large. A Boston capitalist is said to have offered to advance all the money necessary to carry the house through for a year, but it was decided to suspend and ask extension.

A STRATUM of genuine porcelain clay has been discovered in McMinn county, fifteen miles southwest of Athens, Tennessee. It was struck at the depth of about twenty five feet below the surface, with a depth of forty or fifty feet, clear from all sand or rock, or other impurities, solid and compact, the upper portion white, the lower ten or fifteen feet highly variegated with yellow and red.

DELERIUM TREMENS is generally supposed to be confined almost exclusively to excessive consumers of ardent spirits. Cases are not wanting, however, to show that light wines and tobacco, when used immoderately, will occasion the disease. In St Louis, Michael Wigad, aged 33, died of apoplexy, after suffering from the usual symptoms of delerium tremens, and alc is supposed to have been the direct cause of his death.

THE DUVALL'S BLUFF (Arkansas) *Journal*, of the 4th inst., says: "A rumor came over on the train, yesterday, to the effect that some two hundred thousand dollars in gold, and some twenty-five thousand in Confederate treasury warrants had been found buried in the State House grounds at the Rock. A negro is said to have given the information and to have immediately disappeared. It is said to have been buried in Treasurer Cunningham's administration.

THE total wool production of the world is 1,772,300,000 pounds annually. Of this Great Britain and Ireland produce 260,000,000 pounds; France, 126,000,000 pounds; Germany, Netherlands and Belgium, 190,500,000 pounds; European Russia, 125,500,000 pounds; Persia, 50,000,000 pounds, and the rest of Asia; 370,000,000 pounds; Australia, 114,000,000 pounds; South America, 110,000,000 pounds; Canada, 12,000,000 pounds; United States, 100,000,000 pounds.

A YOUNG lady in New Haven, sixteen years of age, recently met with the total loss of one eye and the serious injury of the other. She had placed a bottle of ammonia in warm water, with the object of loosening the cork. Being heated the natural expansion suddenly forced the cork and liquid from the bottle, the latter full in her face. The powerful medicine penetrated the eyes, causing intense pain and fearful discoloration. Skilful surgery has saved one eye, but the other is entirely gone.

AT Saratoga there is a great deal of dress, which means an abundance of vulgarity. The "bend" is now carried to ridiculous extremes, and the bustles are worn higher and larger than last summer, when a caricaturist made a woman's outline take the shape of a dromedary. But this is not the most noticeable feature of the fashionable toilets; shoes with heels that necessarily incline the wearers forward enable her to elevate her hips unnaturally behind, and obtain the artistic position. How insane for women wishing to wear the panier to disease themselves with a bustle, contracted stomach, strained chest, outthrust head and a ten-pound chignon.

ALEXANDER SWINTON, an old man, sixty-four years of age, was shot in the abdomen on Thursday night, at Port Jervis, New York, by a pedler named Warren Fellows, who had been remonstrated with because of some indecency committed by him and a companion in front of a hardware store with which Mr, Swinton was connected. The latter died in a few minutes. David Swinton, his son, on hearing that his father was shot, seized a hatchet and sprang at the murderer, when Fellows raised his revolver to shoot him; but young Swinton wrenched it from his hands, and dealt two blows on his head, crushing in the skull so that his death was expected. Fellows was intoxicated.

THE Ecumenical Council summoned to meet at Rome, in December, will, it appears, take into consideration, among other things, church music. The preliminary committee, which is already at work, has had three reports sent in relation to the notation of plain chant. It wants to amalgamate the seven different editions in one only, which would then be obligatory for every church. M. Said-d' Arod wishes the library of the Vatican to be searched for the manuscript of Palestrina, which is preserved there, and which he would have republished exactly as it is. It dates from 1600; it is the first with a regular notation, and it is, no doubt, more in keeping than any other with the traditions of the primitive church.

THE Orange (N. J.) *Chronicle*, writing of Spiritualism, says the "mysterious rappings proceed from the sub-derangement and hyper-effervescence of small conical glandular bodies situated heterogeneously in the rotundum of the inferior acephalocists, which, by coming in unconscious contact with the etherization of the five superior processes of the dorsal vertebræ, also results in 'tippings,' by giving rise to spontaneous combustions with certain abnormal evacuations of echinorhyncus bicornis, situated in various abdominal orifices. The raps occur from the ebullitions of the former in certain temperamental structures, and the tips from the thoracic cartillineous ducts, whenever their contents are compressed by cerebral inclination."

AN IRON Cylinder Stove, without any grate, and which consumes its own smoke, has recently been patented in Bavaria. In this the air required in the combustion of the fuel, is introduced through a system of holes two or three inches in diameter just above the bottom. Seven or eight inches above these are attached the same number of tubes of equal width, which are brought to a red heat in the stove, and conduct heated air into the flame charged with the products of combustion. The draught chimney draws the air through these tubes with greater or less intensity, and it enters from all directions into the stove with considerable rapidity. The flames are thus mixed together and the gases brought into contact, and the current is sufficiently strong to prevent any of the products of combustion from escaping into the room. Owing to the perfect combustion of the fuel only a comparatively small quantity is required, while the room is comfortably heated and well ventilated at the same time.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ **SCHENCK'S PULMONIC** SYRUP, SEAWEED TONIC AND MANDRAKE PILLS will cure Consumption, Liver Compiaint and Dyspepsia, if taken according to directions. They are all three to be taken at the same time. They cleanse the stomach, relax the Liver and put it to work; then the appetite becomes good: the food digests and makes good blood; the patient begins to grow in flesh; the diseased matter ripens into the lungs, and the patient outgrows the disease and gets well. This is the only way to cure consumption.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivaled success in the treatment of pulmonary Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter in the lungs, nature throws it off by an easy expectoration, for when the phlegm or matter is ripe a slight cough will throw it off, and the patient has rest and the lungs begin to heal.

To do this, the Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills must be freely used to cleanse the stomach and liver, so that the Pulmonic Syrup and the food will make good blood.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removing all obstructions, relax the ducts of the gall bladder, the bile starts freely, and the liver is soon relieved; the stools will show what the Pills can do; nothing has ever been invented except calomel (a deadly poison which is very dangerous to use unless with great care,) that will unlock the gall bladder and start the secretions of the liver like Schenck's Mandrake Pills.

Liver Complaint is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption.

Schenck's Seaweed Tonic is a gentle stimulant and alterative, and the alkali in the Seaweed, which this preparation is made of, assists the stomach to throw out the gastric juice to dissolve the food with the Pulmonic Syrup, and it is made into good blood without fermentation or souring in the stomach.

The great reason why physicians do not cure Consumption is, they try to do too much; they give medicine to stop the cough, to stop chills, to stop night sweats, hectic fever, and by so doing they derange the whole digestive powers, locking up the secretions, and eventually the patient sinks and dies.

Dr. Schenck, in his treatment, does not try to stop a cough, night sweats, chills or fever. Remove the cause, and they will all stop of their own accord. No one can be cured of Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Canker, Ulcerated Throat, unless the liver and stomach are made healthy.

If a person has consumption, of course the lungs in some way are diseased, either tubercles, abcesses, bronchial irritation, pleura adhesion, or the lungs are a mass of inflammation and fast decaying. In such cases what must be done? It is not only the lungs that are wasting, but it is the whole body. The stomach and liver have lost their power to make blood out of food. Now the only chance is to take Dr. Schenck's three medicines, which will bring up to the stomach, the patient will begin to want food, it will digest easily and make good blood; then the patient begins to gain in flesh, and as soon as the body begins to grow, the lungs commence to heal up, and the patient gets fleshy and well. This is the only way to cure Consumption.

When there is no lung disease and only Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, Schenck's Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills are sufficient, without the Pulmonic Syrup. Take the Mandrake Pills freely in all billious complaints, as they are perfectly harmless.

Dr. Schenck, who has enjoyed uninterrupted health for many years past, and now weighs **325** pounds, was wasted away to a mere skeleton, in the very last stage of Pulmonary Consumption, his physicians having pronounced his case hopeless and abandoned him to his fate. He was cured by the aforesaid medicines, and since his recovery many thousands similarly afflicted have used Dr. Schenck's preparation with the same remarkable success. Full directions accompany each, making it not absolutely necessary to personally see Dr. Schenck, unless patients wish their lungs examined, and for this purpose he is professionally at his Principal Office, Philadelphia, every Saturday, where all letters for advice must be addressed. He is also professionally at No. **32** Bond street, New York, every other Tuesday, and at No. **35** Hanover street, Boston, every other Wednesday. He gives advice free, but for a thorough examination with his Respirometer the price is **$5**. Office hours at each city from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each **$1.50** per bottle, or **$7.50** a half dozen. Mandrake Pills **25** cents a box. For sale by all druggists. mv19:151-d&F

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PROPOSALS.

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, August 5, 1869.

PROPOSALS

FOR COAL.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 3 o'clock Thursday, August **12th, 1869**, for five thousand (**5,000**) bushels BEST MERCHANTABLE LUMP COAL, to be delivered at the following places, viz:

3000 bushels in basement of City Hall.
350 bushels in Hope Engine House, First Ward.
300 bushels in Columbia Engine House, Fourth Ward.
150 bushels in Gen. Grant Engine House, Third Ward.
300 bushels in Ellsworth Engine House, Sixth Ward.
350 bushels in Good Will Engine House.
350 bushels in Friendship Engine House, Second Ward.
100 bushels in Second Weigh House, Second Ward.
600 bushels in Diamond Scales, First Ward.

The coal to be weighed on City Scales.

W. M. PORTER
au6 CITY CONTROLLER.

PROPOSALS FOR

COAL.

HARRISBURG GAS WORKS,
JULY **27**, **1869**.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Harrisburg Gas Works until the **15th** DAY OF AUGUST, for the delivery of Gas Coal to be used during the next year up to September **1**, **1870**. The coal must be of the very best quality for the manufacture of gas and delivered at the works.

All communications should be addressed to the undersigned, who will give all further information on the subject.

GEORGE BERGNER, Secretary.
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CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, August 6th, **1868**.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until **3** o'clock P. M., on FRIDAY, August **13th**, **1869**, for Grading and Paving the following Avenues, Streets and Alleys: viz:

JEFFERSON STREET, from Beaver street to Shields alley.

EVANS ALLEY, from Nixon street to Washington avenue.

MONTGOMERY AVENUE, from east line of Union avenue to west line of Sherman avenue.

RACE ALLEY, from Rose alley to River avenue.

Specifications can be seen at the office of CHAS. DAVIS, Esq., City Engineer.

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any bid.

W. M. PORTER,
au7:n20 CITY CONTROLLER.

ASSESSMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER & SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, August 24, **1869**.

NOTICE.—The assessment for the GRADING of Wylie street extension, from Crawford to Kirkpatrick street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until THURSDAY, August **12th**, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

au2:m93 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of "The Hopewell Old School Presbyterian Church, of Findley Township, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania" for a Charter of Incorporation, at No. **604** September Term, **1869**.

Notice is hereby given that the "HOPEWELL OLD SCHOOL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, of Findley Township, Allegheny county, Pa.," have made application to the Court of Common Pleas for a

CHARTER OF INCORPORATION,

And that the same will be granted at the next term of Court, unless sufficient reason should be shown to the contrary.

au2 J. H. WALTER, Prothonotary.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, ss:

In the Orphans' Court, in and for the county aforesaid. In the matter of the administration account of the estate of JOHN HOARTY, deceased. No, **59**, June Term **1869**.

And now, to-wit, July **24**th, **1869**, on motion of John Mellon, Attorney for Accountant, the Court appoint C. C. TAYLOR, Esq., Auditor to make distribution of the fund in accountants hands, per account filed, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto.

BY THE COURT.

(From the Record,)
Attest: A. HILANDS, Clerk.

The Auditor above named will attend to the duties of his appointment on WEDNESDAY, August 9th, **1869**, at **2** o'clock P. M., at his office, No. **68** Grant street, City of Pittsburgh.

jy28:m67-w C. C. TAYLOR, Auditor.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court, of the County of Allegheny, I will expose to sale at Public Auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY, the **27**th day of August, **1869**, at **2** o'clock P. M., all that certain lot or piece of ground situate on the corner of Sandusky street and Gay alley, Fourth ward, City of Allegheny, county aforesaid, being part of Lot No. **28** in the original plan of said city, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the south-east corner of Sandusky street and Gay alley, and running thence south along Sandusky street thirty (**30**) feet to the corner of lot now or late of Harvey Childs; thence along the line of same parallel with Gay alley one hundred feet eastwardly (**100**); thence on a line parallel with Sandusky street northwardly thirty feet (**30**) to Gay alley; and thence along said Gay alley westwardly one hundred feet (**100**) to the corner of Sandusky street and Gay alley, the place of beginning, on which there is erected a large two story Brick Dwelling House fronting on Sandusky street, and a large Brick Stable and Carriage House in the rear. Terms—one-half cash upon the sale being confirmed, and the balance in two equal annual instalments, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

LIZZIE E. PERCHMENT,
Administratrix of A. Perchment, deceased.
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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, of Allegheny county. No. **558**, October Term, **1865**.

Commonwealth ex rel. vs. Andrew Denniston. Commission de Inebrietate Inquirendo.

July **31**, **1869**. Account of George Finley, Committee, filed.

Same day petition of George Finley, Committee, filed, praying for leave to make private sales of certain lots of ground, &c.

And now, to-wit, July **31**, **1869**. Petition presented in open Court, whereupon the Court award a citation as prayed for, returnable to SATURDAY, the **21**st day of August, **1869**, at **10** o'clock A. M.

BY THE COURT.

(From the Record.)
JACOB H. WALTER, Proth notary.

To Andrew Denniston and Jane, his wife; Lydia A. Finley, Jane M. Berlin, George C. Denniston, James A. Denniston, Nancy E. Weitsel, Andrew J. Denniston, Samuel W. Denniston and Luther C. Denniston: You are hereby notified to appear in Court on SATURDAY, August **21**, **1869**, at **10** o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. au5:n8-THST

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas, letters testamentary on the estate of MARY ANN YOUNG, deceased, late of Indiana township, Allegheny county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county, all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted to said estate will make payment immediately to

BENJAMIN KELLY,
je2:k16 w Executor.

NOTICE.—Letters of Administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of JOHN GEORGE WOODS, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to call and settle the same, and those having claims against the estate will present them, duly authenticated, to me at No. **19** Seventh (late Irwin) street.

jy7:i89-w ISAAC M. PENNOCK, Adm'r.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of JOHN GEORGE GIMBEN, deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make immediate payment, and all claims against the same should be presented to me, duly authenticated.

FRANCISCA GIMBEN, Administratrix,
jy28:m64-3w No. **146** Third St., Allegheny.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF Pennsylvania ss.

At Pittsburgh, the **22**d day of July, A. D. **1869**.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JOHN A. EMERY and EDSON EMERY, of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, within said District, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition, by the District Court of said District.

JOHN H. BAILEY, Assignee,
jy22:m45TH Attorney-at-Law, **89** Grant street.

HOPKINS STREET.—Notice is hereby given that on the **10**th day of July, **1869**, at June Term, **1866**, Quarter Sessions Court, a petition for vacation of a portion of Hopkins street, City of Allegheny, was presented and ordered to be filed, and rule granted to show cause why a portion of said street should not be closed up and vacated.

JOHN C. McCOMBS,
jy12:m5-MTH Attorney for Petitioners.

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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished in the city the six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $8 *per annum:* 3 *mos.,* $2.

Police items yesterday were like celestial visitations.

The Allegheny Library question will come before Councils to-night.

The second of the free bath houses has been completed and will be launched to day.

To-night a regular meeting of the Allegheny Councils will be held, at seven and a half o'clock.

The work of improving Wylie street, between Tannehill and Arthurs, was commenced yesterday morning.

The Market Committee of City Councils will meet to-night to take into consideration the plan for the proposed Fifth avenue market.

The painting of the St. Clair street suspension bridge is almost completed. Travelers in that direction will be pleased when the artists retire.

So far as heard from the party of tourists, who are at present engaged in a survey of the Work House, are enjoying their "rusticate" very much.

The Fire Alarm in Allegheny has become a success. There are no more vexatious, false, confused alarms which rendered it so unreliable about a year ago.

Selling Liquor.—Chief of Police Hague made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging Owen McCabe with selling liquor on Sunday. A summons was issued.

This evening a mass meeting of journeymen tailors will be held in Smithfield street at eight o'clock, under the auspices of the International Assembly now in session in this city.

Beecher in Jail.—Not he of Plymouth fame, but Lewis Beecher of Allegheny. Alderman Lindsay committed him. His wife Mary complained that he had acted in a manner to cause her to fear bodily harm. Lewis will be heard at the next term of court.

Prosperity.—One of the best evidences of the growth and prosperity of our sister city is found in the number of handsome new dwellings and business houses which are in course of erection. The present season has been unusally active in this respect.

Local Politics in Allegheny are becoming lively, especially in the Third ward. Some of the old members of Council, we understand, decline to run again, and the number of aspirants for the vacant positions would, of themselves, form a municipal body.

Killed on the Railroad.—Thomas Walkins, a boy about fifteen years of age, was killed about 8½ o'clock last evening on the Pittsburgh and Cleveland railroad near Superior blast furnace, Manchester. Coroner Clawson will hold an inquest on the body this morning.

The row of fine brick buildings now in course of erection on the northeast side of the Allegheny Diamond will be a wonderful improvement on the old shanties which formerly adorned the ground. There are still a few more of these which might with advantage be removed.

Grand Picnic.—The improved order of Red Men will give a grand picnic, Saturday, August 14th 1869, at Ormsby's Grove, for the benefit of Youghiougheny Tribe, No. 103. The affair is in the hands of gentlemen whose liberality will insure its success, and a pleasant time may be anticipated.

Committed.—Mrs. Kelly was arrested and taken before His Honor, the Mayor, yesterday, on a charge of disorderly conduct. It was alleged that the accused had been conducting herself in a very disorderly manner, to the great annoyance of her neighbors. After a hearing she was provided with quarters on the Hill for thirty days, in default of the payment of a fine of $20 and costs.

Knocked Him Down.—A difficulty occurred on Fourth avenue yesterday, between John O'Keefe and James Lowrie, during which the latter struck O'Keefe with his fist and knocked him down. The little affair was witnessed by one of the Mayor's officers, who arrested Lowrie and took him before the Mayor, when after a hearing he was required to pay a fine of ten dollars and costs.

Those Squares.—It is proposed to place the vacant squares in the Allegheny Diamond in charge of the Park Commission for ornamentation. At present they are ornamented principally with old cart wheels, logs, boulders, and other matter of a similar nature. What to do with these squares has been a chronic subject of agitation in Allegheny. The Park Commission could settle the matter very satisfactorily, and we hope the suggestion will be heeded.

W. W. Morehead, No. 81 Market street, invites the especial attention of ladies to his new and elegant assortment of fine lace and summer goods, which were purchased expressly for the season. The stock will be found full and complete, embracing all the latest styles and qualities, facts which a visit to the establishment will amply substantiate. Ladies, don't forget to give him a call, whether purchasing or not. It is no trouble to show the goods, and all are invited.

Warm Weather Exercise. — People should be careful in exercising during the warm weather. Violent exercise might occasion trouble. It did so yesterday with Charles Timmons, who had a dispute with Michael O'Brien, which he unceremoniously ended, it is said, by flooring Michael. The defeated man failed to appreciate this style of argument and complained to Alderman Strain. Charles was arrested and held for a hearing for assault and battery.

Civil Action.—Yesterday May Campbell appeared before Alderman Koenig and instituted civil proceedings against Alderman Lynch for the recovery of twenty dollars which she alleges that official collected for her. May states she was employed as a domestic in a family up town who neglected to pay her little bill, when she placed the account in the magistrate's hands. She says the money has been collected but not paid over to her. The case will be investigated on Monday.

Fatal Result.—We gave the particulars of an accident at the Fort Pitt works, by which a moulder, R. O. Hadfield, was frightfully burned. The injured man lingered in great agony until death came to his relief. Coroner Clawson impannelled a jury yesterday morning, to hold an inquest upon ther remains, but adjourned the investigation until to-day. The deceased resided on Corry street, First ward, Allegheny. He was a married man, and had been residing in this country for eleven years.

Slight Fire. — Yesterday afternoon, about four o'clock, a slight fire occurred at Howard's paper mill, Fifth ward, Allegheny. The fire was extinguished before any material damage was done. We did not learn the origin. The steamers were out but were not in service.

Case Argued.—In the United States District Court yesterday morning, Judge McCandless presiding, an argument on a motion to dissolve an injunction in the case of John Snowden et al. vs. Adam Jacobs et al., in so far as the same restrains proceedings upon the judgment of Lyon, Shorb & Co., (now for use of Adam Jacobs.) This proceeding grew out of a bill in equity filed in and of a proceeding in bankruptcy. M. Achison, Esq., argued in favor of the motion, and Veech & Son and D. Reed contra.

A Humane Idea.—Yesterday we saw, on Liberty street, a horse having its head protected on the top with a light covering made of a small frame, shaped similar to a lady's hat, and covered with a piece of canvass. The apparatus was simple, easily made, did not interfere in the least with the gearing and fully protected the head of the animal from the scorching heat of the sun. Dobbin appeared very comfortable under this small appliance and seemed in his quiet way to speak of the humanity and kindness of his owner.

On The Force Again.— We are pleased to learn that John Glenn, one of the most efficient officers on the force during the terms of the two preceeding Mayors, has resigned his situation as watchman at the City Bank, and accepted a position on the present police force. During Mayor Blackmore's term, officer Glenn was stationed at the corner of Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, one of the most important beats in the city, and he did his duty in a manner highly satisfactory to his superiors as well as to the public generally. We congratulate the Mayor on securing so valuable an addition to his force.

Daring Robbery.

Between twelve and one o'clock yesterday a bold and daring robbery was perpetrated at the agricultural store of Long & Co., Liberty street. It appears that at the time stated, while the clerks were all engaged in the front part of the store, the safe, which was at the back part of the room, was broken open and $72 taken out. The outer door of the safe had been left open, and the inner door, which was locked, was forced open with an iron bar. The proprietor, who usually occupied the back office or counting room, in which the safe stood, was at dinner at the time the robbery was perpetrated.

Brought Home.

Sunday last the body of a young man was found floating in the Ohio river near Shousetown, fifteen miles below Pittsburgh. Judge Davis held an inquest, but the body was not identified. Subsequently, it was ascertained to be that of Robert Bailey, a young man about twenty-two years of age, who left his home last Thursday to engage a conveyance for attending a funeral. Nothing more was heard of him until the effects found on the drowned man were examined, which led to the identification. He was employed by Singer, Nimick & Co., and resided in West Pittsburgh. The body was brought home for interment yesterday.

The Tionesta Oil Strike.

The Titusville *Herald* confirms the announcement that a hundred barrel well was struck on Sunday last on the Jamieson farm opposite Tionesta. It yielded that number only the first day, when it went down to sixty barrels, at which rate it is now steadily pumping. It is owned by Mr. W. A. Purse, and other gentlemen of the Oil City and Allegheny River Railway. The Hunter well, a short distance below on the Allegheny river, is about to be tested. Good oil indications have been found in it, and so soon as tubed it is confidently anticipated that a large yield will be obtained. The new big well is only one hundred and thirty feet deep.

A General Challenge.

We are authorized, on the part of Jimmy Hamill, to publish a challenge to any oarsman of the United States for a purse of two thousand dollars, for a five mile race over the Monongahela course, on time or together. This sounds like business. No person regretted more the disgraceful fiasco on Saturday last than Mr. Hamill, as he was very sanguine and confident of victory in a fair race. He has not yet lifted his stakes and is ready for a race with Coulter whensoever he may desire the contest. If any rower from abroad accepts the general challenge thrown out, Hamill, provided he wins the race, will pay all the reasonable expenses of his competitor in coming to the city. Who will take up the glove?

Fire on Third Avenue.

A fire occurred yesterday morning, about two o'clock, in the hoop skirt manufactory of Skirball & Livingston, in the third story of the building on the corner of Third avenue and Market street. A section of hose from the Vigilant Engine House was run into the building and the flames were subdued, not, however, before the place had been thoroughly drenched with water. The firm lost about $100, which is covered by insurance. S. Cohen & Co., had a clothing establishment on the first floor. Their stock was damaged to the extent of $500, but it was fully insured. Mr. S. Aronson had a dyeing and scouring establishment in the same vicinity. His loss amounted to about $250. He was not insured. No probable cause for the origin of the fire is known.

The Grape Growers in Council—Arrangements for an Exhibition.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Grape Growers' Association was held at Lutz and Waltz's Hall, Chestnut street, Seventh ward, Allegheny.

Mr. W. A. Reed presided, with Mr. Otto Krebs, Secretary.

The President stated that the meeting had been called for the purpose of considering the feasibility of holding an exhibition during the coming fall.

Considerable discussion ensued, from which it appeared that the grape crop was in a bad condition from the rot, which commenced about two weeks ago, and was still doing great damage. The matter was finally settled by the appointment of a Committee to examine the crops, and if found practicable, make all the necessary arrangements for the holding of the exhibition. The Committee consists of Messrs. Otto Krebs, C. L. Goehring, Wm. Hamilton, J. Beckert and H. S. Fleming. It was also decided, if the exhibition could be held, to invite the fruit-growers and florists to participate.

The meeting adjourned to convene at the call of the Committee.

CITY IMPROVEMENTS.

The Spirit of Progress—Grading and Paving — Gas and Water — Streets Opened and not Opened—Sidewalks—Buildings, etc.

That Pittsburgh is now a large city, no one familiar with the extent of her geographical boundaries can deny, and that her greatness does not consist in the extent of her boundaries alone, our extensive iron and other manufactories bear ample testimony. These are facts, however, with which all our citizens are familiar, and in which they doubtless feel a local pride. There are many other facts connected with the growth and improvement of our great city and the future welfare of her many thousands of citizens, with which only a very small minority have any knowledge, and it is of these we write.

There is a spirit of progress and improvement manifested, not only by private individuals, but by the city authorities, which, to say the least of it, is highly commendable, and will, if continued for a few years, be of incalculable benefit to the city and add immeasurably to the comfort, convenience and wealth of our citizens. We regret to say, however, that this desire for improvement or spirit of progress has not spread itself so generally or arrived at that point we should like to see it attain, but it is only a question of time.

We were afforded an opportunity yesterday of viewing a small portion of the improvements new in progress in some of the outer or middle districts of the city, both private and public, and must confess that we were in a measure surprised at their extent, but none the less gratified at the beneficial results which must evidently follow them. New streets are being opened, graded and paved, and old ones straightened and widened in various portions of the city; new buildings, business houses and private dwellings in course of erection on every hand, in many instances taking the place of old, ungainly structures which have been standing for years.

FIFTH ANENUE.

That portion of Fifth avenue lately known as Pennsylvania avenue, is at present in an unsightly condition, being at some points blockaded with bricks and mortar beds and at others torn up by the excavation for the sewer now in course of construction. This, however, is but temporary, as the work on the sewer is now progressing favorably, and when it is completed it will not only add materially to the comfort and convenience of persons residing on the thoroughfare but will greatly enhance the value of property abutting thereon and adjacent thereto. There are also several fine buildings being erected on the avenue and several have already been completed during the year and are now occupied.

WYLIE STREET.

Wylie street, in consequence of the extension made during the present season, will be, when completed, one of the principal thoroughfares of the city. The grading necessary to connect it with what was formerly known as Duncan street has been completed, and the paving, for which Mr. Howard has the contract, is being pushed forward with all possible speed and in a very satisfactory manner. When finished, this street will form the principal avenue to the outer districts in that direction. The advantages to be derived and benefits accruing from this improvement are already apparent in the advanced price of property and the large number of new buildings in course of erection along the street.

WEBSTER AND BEDFORD AVENUES.

Of the improvements on Webster and Bedford avenues, both of which run parallel with Wylie street, we have written on a former occasion; we desire, however, in this connection to call the attention of the Street Commissioner of that district to the fact that there is scarcely a paved sidewalk on Bedford avenue between Washington and Fulton streets. Why Mr. McFaden has neglected his business in this respect we are unable to say, as he has shown himself to be a very efficient and attentive officer. The street is well paved and a large number of new buildings are being erected upon both sides of it, and it will be essentially necessary to the comfort of those occupying them, and in fact all persons residing on the street, to have the side walks paved.

BEECH ALLEY.

Beech alley, in the Sixth ward, which for years past has been a nuisance in consequence of not being graded and paved, now presents a very neat and cleanly appearance. It is being graded from Pride street eastward, and one square between Pride and Marion street has been paved, Mr. Joseph Hastings being the contractor. The work was inspected by the proper officers yesterday, and we are informed was highly satisfactory.

BASIN ALLEY.

Notwithstanding the many commendable things we noticed during our stroll yesterday, there are several matters of which we feel disposed to find fault, the first of which is the condition of Basin alley, running east from Washington street. We don't know particularly that there is such an alley, as the particular locality pointed out to us as being Basin alley had more the appearance of a cart yard around a repair shop than an alley, and about midway between the street and basin an old frame shanty stands across the alley.

A NUISANCE.

The condition of Basin alley reminds us of other nuisances prevalent in many portions of the city, which, however, if we are correctly informed, will soon be abated. We refer to the number of carts and wagons left standing for days and weeks upon different streets and alleys. There is an ordinance prohibiting this nuisance, and the Chief of Police has instructed his officers to enforce it to the letter. Owners of wagons will therefore take notice and act accordingly.

LIBERTY STREET.

The next point visited at which improvments were noticeable was Liberty street, which will eventually be the grand thoroughfare of the city. A number of new brick buildings are in course of erection, among which is an office building by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The most important improvement after the paving of the street, is the paving of the sidewalks. One side of this street from the Union Depot to Twenty-ninth street, is owned and occupied by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and upon that side of the street there has never been any sidewalk. Through the energy and perseverance of Street Commissioner Hunter the Company have been induced to construct a sidewalk, and a number of men are now engaged in laying the pavement and removing the telegraph poles, which previously stood about three feet from the stone wall, to the curb-stone. The poles are transferred to the new positions without disturbing the wires or taking down the pole. The only thing requisite to complete the good work commenced by the railroad company on this thoroughfare is the planting of a few hundred shade trees along the sidewalk. It will then be one of the most pleasant promenades in the city.

It is the intention, we believe, to open Liberty street through to the Greensburg Pike. Consequently it will pass throgh a portion of the Iron City Park, and the sooner this improvement is made the less it will cost, as property in that locality is daily increasing in value.

SMALLMAN STREET.

Throughout the entire city there is perhaps not a single street upon which the beneficial results of grading and paving are so plainly apparent as on Smallman street. This street has been opened for a number of years, and until lately property abutting upon it has been comparatively cheap, owing to the fact that the street was not paved. Since the contract for grading and paving it was awarded and work commenced, property has advanced nearly forty per cent., and new brick dwellings of a very superior character are springing up, as if by magic, along its entire length. The street at present only extends southward as far as Twenty-third street, but we are informed that it is soon to be opened to Twenty-first street, two squares further south.

CONDITION OF THE STREETS.

The streets throughout the entire city, or at least that portion of it visited yesterday, are clean and in good condition generally, which speaks well for the energy and efficiency of the Street Commissioners.

In a Trap.

Yesterday morning a little girl about three years of age, while playing on Chestnut street, stepped into a pipe connecting with a stop cock which had carelessly been left open, and her foot became fastened so that she could not remove it. She became alarmed and cried for help, and her cries soon collected a crowd. Efforts were made to release her from the trap, but without avail. It was finally decided by some of the wise heads of the crowd that the pipe would have to be broken. An axe was procured and the top of the pipe broken off, but still the foot remained fastened. At this juncture a gentleman came along, and seeing the crowd, joined to ascertain the cause of the excitement, and on learning what was wrong, worked his way into the crowd and examined the state of affairs. He discovered that the foot had been forced into the pipe heel foremost, and as a consequence, when attempting to withdraw it the toes would press against the side of the pipe and prevent the foot from being withdrawn. Having a small rattan, upon one end of which was a crook, he passed it down the pipe until he got the crook under the toes and drawing the cane and leg at the same time released the child from the uncomfortable trap, to the great joy of her mother, who was terribly frightened.

Hucksters.

EDITORS GAZETTE: The huckster nuisance shows no signs of abatement, and nothing seems to be done to put an end to it. In fact, officially, nothing can be done, I believe, as country people seem to prefer to sell out their produce in bulk at home to transporting it to the Market House with a prospect of a little more profit and a risk of a little less in case all is not sold out. At present, I have known berries to be bought for twenty-five cents a gallon in Union township and sold again in Pittsburgh for thirty cents a quart. Such enormous percentage is not just, as any one can see, and the only way by which the thing can be controlled is by having one or two fair men start in the business, willing to really make large sales and equitable profits. If this were done the prices would be effectually controlled and the public would get its fruits and vegetables without first paying six hundred per cent. on their original value into the pockets of self-appointed brokers.

Is not this question sufficiently weighty to command the general attention as well as that of your correspondent?

PURCHASER.

Grant House Billiard Parlor.

We wish to call attention to the new and beautiful billiard parlor of Messrs. Fox & Warren, Allegheny. Everything that constitutes a first class establishment may be found here. There are five most elegantly finished Schulenburg tables (for which Mr. Fox is the agent), —two carom and three four-pocket, which were made expressly for sample tables and have no equal in the State, if indeed in the United States. We are glad to state that Messrs. Fox & Warren are meeting the success which their efforts merit, and the merry click of the ivory spheres may be heard at all hours of the night and day. For a quiet game of billiards, where everything is conducted in first class style and where courteous and gentlemanly treatment is always to be met with, we can confidetnly recommend the Grant House Billiard Parlor.

Black Woolen Shawl.

Mrs. Ann Kelly attached "her mark" to a document yesterday, at Alderman Taylor's, setting forth that Mr. Goggins, Mrs. Goggins and Mr. Jones had entered into an illegal partnership to deprive her of a black woolen fringed shawl, valued at eight dollars. The partnership, she alleges, was successful and the shawl was taken. Subsequently the partners were, too. Mrs. Jones was placed in jail, Mrs. Goggins shared a similar fate, and Mr. Goggins made a touching appeal for freedom. His pathos eventually overcome the tender-hearted official, who, brushing the sympathetic tears from his eyes, allowed him to depart upon the solemn assurance that he would return Saturday, at which time a hearing in the case will take place.

Irish Church Disestablished.

Rev. Jno. Hemphill, of county Derry, Ireland, will repeat his lecture on this subject this evening in Excelsior Hall, Allegheny. This popular and eloquent speaker delivered this lecture on Tuesday evening, in Lafayette Hall, to a very respectable audience. Mr. Hemphill understands all the "outs and ins" about it, and those who go to hear him will be gratified by a plain and pleasing statement of facts. The speaker is of the "Gladstone" school, and consequently at home in this land of Liberty. Let all be on hand this evening at eight o'clock, at Excelsor Hall, Corner Federal and Lacock streets, Allegheny, and we bespeak for them a rich treat.

Tickets can be had at the book stores.

Soldiers' Home.—We give below the monthly report of the Pittsburgh Sanitary Soldiers' Home, for July, 1869;

No. of inmates, July 1, 1869	72
" admitted during month	47
" discharged during month	41
" deceased during month	2
" remaining Aug. 1, 1869	76
" " " 1868	74

CITIZENS.

No. in Home July 1, 1869	2
" admitted during month	0
" discharged during month	0
" decreased during month	0
" remaining Aug. 1, 1869	2

The Humboldt Festival.

Last night the Executive Committee held its regular weekly meeting, Dr. Ehrhardt presiding. The reports of the various Committees were read and adopted, and other matters were discussed.

A letter was read from the Committee having in charge the Humboldt celebration in Chicago, proposing that a great German University of the highest class be founded in America as an enduring monument to the great Humboldt, and requesting the Germans of Pittsburgh to lend their aid. As it has had been decided here to erect a different sort of monument to Humboldt, it is not probable that a favorable answer will be given, although the letter was received and laid over for consideration.

The Chairman of the Monumental Committee reported that that body and the Allegheny Park Commission had decided upon a site for the monument, in the northwestern portion of the Commons, nearly opposite the mouth of Resecca street, substantially the same place which we mentioned recently as likely to be agreed upon. From several plans submitted to this Committee, one has been definitely decided upon. It is by Mr. Edward Morgenroth, of this city, and consists of a beautifully proportioned and ornate pedestal and shaft to be surmounted by a colossal bust of Humboldt, probably a duplicate of Blaeser's celebrated bust in Berlin.

The monument is to stand in the centre of a basin twenty six feet in diameter, to be surrounded by four elegant vases, from which jets of water will spring; water will also spout out from four dolphins' heads at the base of the monument. The total cost of this elegant structure will probably be $7,000 to $8,000. Towards defraying this expense, gentlemen residing on that part of North avenue, facing the monument, have pledged about $1,000, the Park Commission will probably construct the foundation and basin, and the Finance Committee anticipate no difficulty in securing the remainder.

We have seen the plan that has been adopted, and feel sure that every citizen will be delighted that we are to have constantly in our midst an object of so much elegance and beauty, and we hope that money enough will be raised to allow it to be constructed of solid granite instead of less enduring and less beautiful sandstone.

Auction Sale of Dry Goods.

By order of the Administrator, J. W. Barker, Jr., the entire stock of dry goods is to be closed out at auction, at No. 20 St. Clair street. The sale has been in progress about a week, and the goods are sold at very low prices, as the auctioneers say, actually "slaughtered." Now is the time for bargains in fall and winter goods, as everything *must* be sold. Sales each day, till all is closed out, at 9½ A. M., 2 P. M. and 7½ P. M.

Goods sold at Barker's old establishment, 59 Market street, by private sale at auction prices.

Fresh, light and very palatable—Marvin's Crackers, from the establishment on Liberty street.

Pennsylvania State E. R League Delegates from the western counties and the residents of Pittsburgh and Allegheny are hereby informed that excursion tickets to Meadville, by way of Franklin, will be issued by the Allegheny Valley Railroad, at its office on Pike street, Pittsburgh. Trains start Monday, August 16th, at o'clock 8 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

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Additional Markets by Telegraph.

BUFFALO, August 11.—Flour firm; sales of 5,000 bbls city ground spring at $1,25@1,50. Rye Flour held 25c higher. Wheat entirely neglected; 7,500 bush No. 1 Milwaukee club sold at $1,58, a decline of 2c; No. 2 offered at $1,47, with no buyers. Corn firm; sales of 20,000 bush No. 2 western per sample at $1,00 and 30,000 bush western kiln dried at $1,04@1,04½. Oats dull and nominally 65c for old, 63c for new and 60c for mixed old and new. Rye nominal. Pork firmer at $34,50@35,00. Lard firm at 19½c. Highwines; sales of 50 bbls at $1,09; held at $1,10@1,10½. Receipts—Flour, 500 bbls, wheat, 8,000 bush; corn, 19,000 bush; oats, 15,000 bush;. Shipments—Wheat, 165,000 bush; corn, 48,000 bush. Freights unchanged.

NEW ORLEANS, August 11.—Cotton demand fair; sales 319 bales, low middlings 30c; no middlings here. Receipts 320 bales. Exports to Havre 1921 bales. Gold 134¾. Sterling exchange 148½. New York sight at par. Sugar; common 11½; prime 14½. Molasses, reboiled 65@70. Flour firm; superfine $5,65; double extra $6,50; treble extra $6,62½. Corn, mixed $1,00; white $1,07½. Oats 65c. Bran $1,00. Hay $26@30. Pork firm at $35,50@35,75. Bacon firmer. Shoulders 16¾c; clear rib sides 19½@19¾; clear sides 19¾@20. Hams 23@25c. Lard, tierce 19¾@20½; keg 22@23. Whisky $1,10@1,15. Coffee inactive and nominal; fair 15¼; prime 15¾.

OSWEGO, August 11.—Flour unchanged; sales of 1,500 bbls at $7,75@7,78 for No. 1 Spring; $8@8,25 for amber, winter $8,50, for white $9@9,25. Double extra wheat firm and quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee club held at $1,60; No. 1 scarce. Corn firm; sales 6,600 bush No. kiln dried, at $1,10; 1,000 bush No. 1 at $1,11. Millfeed steady; shorts at $21@22. Shipstuffs at $25; Middlings at $28@30 per ton.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 11.—Flour; the supply of old is exhausted and the market active; rates advanced to $5,12½@6,00. Wheat; sales of good shipping at $1,75 and choice milling at $1,80; holders demand $1,85 for choice shipping. Legal Tenders 133¼.

NASHVILLE, August 11.—Wheat; red, $1,10@1,15; amber, $1,15@1,20; white, $1,25@1,30. Corn 92c. Oats 45c. Rye 90c. Barley $1,10. Bacon sides 19c. Shoulders 16½c. Lard 15c.

ALBANY.

Daring Express Robbery on the New York Central Railroad.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALBANY, August 11.—The particulars of the express robbery on the Central Railroad last night, obtained at the American Express office here, show that the robbers got on the train at Fonda. They entered the second baggage car and at once attacked the baggageman and messenger, telling them that there were eight of them in the party and resistance was useless. They made a stout resistance, however, as evinced by their condition on the arrival of the train here. Their faces were bruised, heads cut and eyes filled with Cayenne pepper. They were almost suffocated by the gags that had been forced into their mouths, and were also stupefied with chloroform. A large club that had been used by the robbers was found in the car. When the train reached Schenectady the baggage for delivery there was thrown out in such a manner as to cause remonstrance, but no attention was paid to it and the door was slammed shut and the train passed on. It was undoubtedly one of the robbers who threw the baggage out. It was at first thought the robbers got off the train at West Albany, but on going out there this morning an agent of the Company found the way bills scattered all along the road between there and this city. When the train reached there the baggage car was entered and the messenger and baggageman found on the floor, in the condition described above, almost dead. There were two baggage cars attached to the train, one of which was switched off here and the other sent through to New York. On the floor of the one sent through were found gold coins and other money which the robbers left behind. The safe was found open, but it is impossible at present to give an approximate of the loss. All that can be said is, that it is very heavy. Owing to the loss of some way bills, and the others being sent through to New York, no estimate of the amount stolen can be made. Just before the train reached Schenectady two of the robbers entered the first baggage car and attacked the baggageman and messenger.

Connecticut Temperance Convention.

HARTFORD, August 11.—At the State Temperance Convention, held here today to appoint delegates to the National Temperance Convention, and consult upon the organization of an independent political temperance party in the State, resolutions were adopted in opposition to license for the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage under any circumstances; in favor of the prohibition of the manufacture and importation of liquors for such purposes; in favor of a state police force for the enforcement of prohibitory laws; and for the election of none but honest, reliable temperance men to legislate or execute laws.

After discussion a resolution was adopted, 19 to 15, that in the opinion of the Convention the interest in the temperance cause would be advanced by the formation of an independent political temperance party.

Resolutions were also adopted pledging the Convention not to vote for legislative or executive officers unless they will favor and sustain prohibitory legislation

DIED:

GROUARD—At the residence of his parents, No. 211 Beaver avenue, Allegheny City, Wednesday, August 11, 1869, SAMUEL SHACKFORD, infant son of Dr. J. H. and Mrs. Amelia M. Grouard, aged 9 month, and 24 days.

The funeral will take place THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HADFIELD—On Tuesday, August 12, 1869, at fifteen minutes to 10 o'clock P. M., R. O. HADFIELD, in the 39th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No 78 Corry street, Allegheny City, TODAY, at 4 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CRAWFORD—On Wednesday morning, August 11 h, EMMA JANE, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Armorer Crawford.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents, No 39 Boyle street, Allegheny City, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock.

ALBREE—At the Astor House, New York, last evening, Mrs. MARY E., wife of Robert C. Albree.

Time of funeral will be announced on arrival of remains.

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